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DEMPSEY KNOCKS OUT BRENNAN IN TWELFTH

GRUELLING BATTLE BEFORE A HUGE CROWD

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, knocked out Bill Brennan, of Chicago, in the twelfth round at Madison Square Garden last night.

Before he fell under the punches of the man from Colorado, Brennan gave thirteen thousand spectators a tremendous thrill.

For eleven rounds he held his ground against the champion. At times he even outfought Dempsey, wading in grimly under showers of blows, risking everything on the one-chance smash that would mean fame and fortune to him.

Has Crowd With Him

For the greater part of the eleven rounds he had the crowd, society women, clubmen, business men, rounders, gamblers, and the riff-raff that follow the fighting game, upon their feet cheering for him.

Once or twice there were fleeting moments when it looked as if the heavy-weight title, richest prize in all listiana, might change hands.

The champion was bleeding from a cut behind his ear and from his mouth. His silk white trunks were smeared with red. Brennan, a sturdy big man with a mashed-in nose, the result of many fights, was no helpless calf tossed into a corral with a tiger.

Most of the people had gone to the garden, paying probably close to $150,000, and perhaps more, into the boxes expecting to see a brief flurry of brown fists and the quick collapse of the Chicago man.

Dempsey came in the ring in full ring regalia, with a towel around his shoulders. He entered by way of Brennan's corner, coming up unexpectedly on Brennan and shaking him by the hands. Jack took a brief glance at Brennan's bandages and extended his own hands for inspection.

Haukop was introduced as the referee and brought the men together in the middle of the ring for a brief explanation of the rules as Humphreys read a telegram from Jess Willard challenging the winner. The crowd hooted.

Not over three rounds was the general prediction. The third came and passed quickly, and Brennan was still upright in the ring swaying his huge fists desperately in the direction of the lithe Dempsey.

But the champion was slowly cutting him down in the clinches. When their heads were locked together Dempsey used his hands as a man would use a sling-shot batting Brennan swiftly on either side of the jaw with short blows and shook Brennan down to his toes.

They were not apparent at a distance perhaps, but they were doing deadly work. The end came suddenly.

One minute and fifty-seven seconds of the twelfth round had gone and Brennan was out there plodding, plodding in while Dempsey bounced around him flinging his soaked gloves at Brennan's face and head.

"Throws" Punch

Dempsey crouched to a low stoop, his head, the black hair soaked and hanging in strings below his beetling brows, almost to Brennan's knees. He came up with a quick jerk and his right hand shot out, sinking into Brennan's white stomach. For an instant it seemed as if the glove had gone on into Brennan's body.

It was for all the world as if Dempsey had stooped, picked up a stone and let fly with it. He threw the punch. That is the only way of describing it.

Brennan's eyes, a bit glazed behind the red puff of his cheeks, winced. Now Dempsey's left followed the right into Brennan's stomach so fast the blows were almost one punch.

The big Chicago man crumpled not at the knees as is usual, but in the middle of his body as if the smashes had broken him in two, Dempsey, bloody, furious, his brow corrugated in a scowl, his dark eyes glaring, swung again with his right. It landed on the back of the already crumpling Brennan's head and was the finishing touch.

Knockdown Is Sudden

Down sent Brennan to the very center of the ring, floundering helplessly. The referee, Haukop, his white trousers flecked with the blood of the fighters, bounded forward and began the count. The knockdown came so suddenly that even Haukop, flitting agilely about the ring expecting the unexpected, was startled.

From Brennan's corner came the voice of Leo Flynn, his manager, calling on him to take the count. The thirteen thousand people were up and screaming, the high shrill voices of women mingling with the voices of the men as they shouted advice, or chanted the praise of the champion.

Dempsey, still glowering, hovered over Brennan, his gloves limp at his sides. Slowly Haukop counted, until he had reached ten. Then Brennan, who was crawling aimlessly about the floor like a drunken man seeking a doorstep, lifted himself to his feet.

Haukop's arm under him prevented him from falling as he staggered against the ropes. Now Flynn, and Brennan's handlers were in the ring to assist their man.

Dempsey walked over, put his arm on Brennan's shoulders, mumbled something and walked back to his corner, the second heavyweight champion of the world to defend his title at Madison Square Garden.

Round By Round

ROUND ONE: Dempsey rushed out crouching low and sent two lefts to the body. Brennan was not afraid and came back with two rights to the ear and a left to the body. Jack shot a right to the shoulder and Brennan hooked two rights to the champion's face. But Jack shook his head and missed a light left for the head. His left found Brennan's body hard. Brennan poked a left twice to the jaw and Jack suddenly hooked a right to Brennan's jaw. Not flush, though. Bill came back with three right uppercuts to the mouth. The men then roughed it at close quarters. They clinched at the bell.

ROUND TWO: Dempsey sent two uppercuts to the mouth. But Brennan showed no fear and retaliated with two lefts to the champion's jaw, bringing over a right to the same spot twice. Jack missed a terrific left swing. Jack put two solid lefts to the body and right under Bill's heart. Brennan's left jabbed to the mouth and they exchanged body blows. The champion again missed fire with a left to the body. Brennan held on to Dempsey's left glove and shot a smashing right to Dempsey's jaw. This worried the champion. Bill encored with a right to the jaw while Jack missed two chances at the body with his left as the bell clanged. Brennan's round.

ROUND THREE: The crowd cheered Bill when he came out. Brennan ripped two lefts to Jack's body. Dempsey missed two rights and Bill copped him flush on the jaw with two rights. Jack then became riled and tore after Brennan, sending him a heavy left to the body which made Brennan clinch. After the break Bill uppercutted twice to the champion's mouth. Dempsey measured his man and crossed a hard right to the jaw. He looked surprised when Brennan sent two rights to the face. Brennan looked tired as he returned to his corner. Dempsey had a cut on the bridge of his nose.

ROUND FOUR: Dempsey measured Brennan. Before he could get started Brennan hooked him with a right. Jack poked two lefts to the body. He crouched trying to swing a left but Brennan got away and pounded the body with a few rights. Dempsey worked to close range, trying to find the body. Bill again made Dempsey sit up and take notice by passing a hard right to the jaw. At this stage Jack speeded up, hooking three lefts to the face while poking Brennan's body with several rights. He was getting set for an effective punch when the bell clanged.

Brennan rushed out first as if he had made up his mind to gamble everything on the first few punches. He was the first to lead, but was short. The crowd gasped at his temerity and sat back looking for a quick finish. To their further astonishment Brennan closed in on the champion courageously and began pummeling him in the clinches.

ROUND FIVE—Brennan came up weak. Jack let him jab him with a few lefts before he tried to swing. Dempsey hooked a left to the jaw and whipped in two hard rights to the body. A clinch followed. Dempsey hit on the breakaway but apologized to the referee and shook Brennan's hand. Then he crashed a solid right under the heart but Bill was back with two light rights to the head. Brennan's feet began to sag. Dempsey walked away when he had an opening. Brennan brought the crowd to their feet when he hooked a right to the jaw at the bell.

ROUND SIX: Dempsey jumped around the ring looking for an opening. Bill jabed two lefts to the face and Jack soaked him with a hard right to the body. The champion shifted his attacks. He sent four lefts to the face. He mised again with a right for Bill's jaw. Bill sent Dempsey's head bobbing from a straight left Dempsey missed two rights. A clinch followed. Jack missed two lefts for the head, but his next try, a right for the body found the mark. The champion let several good chances of getting his right over, go by.

Dempsey scowled and chunked Brennan on the chin with short rights and lefts that did not move more than an inch or two. They were cuffs more than anything else, but damaging. Dempsey seemed to be careless in this round and while Brennan appeared much worried he plugged away earnestly at the man from Colorado. A cheer arose as the bell rang and the men walked back to their corners. This cheer became a deafening roar.

ROUND SEVEN: Brennan sent a right to the face of Dempsey and put two lefts to the shoulder. Two clinches followed. Dempsey just poked two light lefts to the body and missed a hard right swing. Brennan missed a left swing and ran into a clinch. Dempsey hooked a right over to the heart twice, but Brennan came back with a good right to the same spot. Each landed a left to the face. The crowd was with Brennan and encouraged him at every opportunity. The men swapped punches on the ropes with Dempsey appearing riled at Bill's showing.

ROUND EIGHT: The champion circled Brennan and whipped in a terrific right twice under the heart following with a left to the jaw. It was too low to hurt Brennan who ran to a clinch. Brennan sent in a right to the chin. Jack cuffed Bill with short rights. Then he swung two lefts to the face. He crossed a right to the jaw which staggered Brennan. Bill fell into a clinch and held on. Jack threw him away and sent a right to the jaw, bringing the same glove down to the body. Brennan instead of clinching swung a left to the jaw. Brennan appeared tired.

ROUND NINE: Brennan crossed a hard right to Dempsey's jaw, following with a left to the chin. The champion shook his head and shot in two lefts to the face. Brennan started to dance around giving Jack an opening. Dempsey crossed two rights to the chin and hooked a left to the body. Brennan, however, was still in the fighting and shot two nice rights to the face. Dempsey sidestepped and hooked a right to Bill's ear. He walked in close, evidently intending to hook a left, but Brennan stepped in close also and shot a right and left to Dempsey's jaw. Dempsey's mouth was bleeding at the bell.

TENTH ROUND: Jack was out fast and pasted Bill with two lefts. Brennan missed a right swing and ran into a clinch. Jack also missed and worked close sending short lefts to the body while hooking his right to the jaws. Brennan held on to Jack's right glove. The referee separated them. Jack missed a laft but a moment later sent a right flush to the jaw and Brennan looked to be in a bad way. When it looked curtains for Brennan he stepped back and sent a smash to Dempsey's left ear drawing the claret at the bell.

ELEVENTH ROUND: Dempsey circles Brennan again hooking lefts to the face. Brennan ran into clinch. After the break Bill jabbed two lefts to the nose and crossed a right to the champion's left ear. More claret and lots of it. Bill again swapped blows with Dempsey, although the latter's blow had force behind it. Jack shot a terrific right to the jaw and Brennan hooked two light lefts to Jack's face. Dempsey hit Brennan hard a dozen times, but the Chicago heavyweight was back at him. Bell.

TWELFTH ROUND: Dempsey crossed a solid right to the jaw and Brennan was back at him like a world beater shooting two rights to Jack's damaged ear. Dempsey tried all he could to get in a haymaker. Brennan jabbed two lefts to the bleeding ear and uppercutted a right to the mouth. Dempsey then got started and sent a right over to the heart and a left to the wind and Brennan sank to the floor. He was counted out.

Weather

OHIO—Cloudy tonight and Thursday with snow flurries in the north and extreme east portion. Not much change in temperature.

Was Grandmother of 42 Children

XENIA, O., Dec. 15—Funeral services were held here today for Mrs. Susan Bush, negro woman, who died Sunday night, the grandmother of 42 children and the great grandmother of 25 children. Mrs. Bush, whose age was unknown, was the mother of 15 children, of whom only four are living.

DEMPSEY RETAINS TITLE

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Aside from oils, which were inclined to forfeit part of their substantial recoveries of the previous session, prices at the outset of today's stock market were irregularly higher. Within the first half hour gains of 1 to 2 1-2 points were registered by Atlantic Gulf, American Can, General Electric, Sloss-Sheffield Steel and several of the popular specialties. Rails were mixed and equipments also reflected an uncertain trend. The possibility of a money flurry arising from the day's heavy tax payment made traders more than ordinarily cautious.

GALE-DRIVEN SLEET STORM IN NORTH OHIO

CLEVELAND, O., December 15—The gale-driven sleet storm that swept over this city and northern Ohio during the night and early hours this morning, claimed one life and brought serious injury to seven persons here, due to auto crashes on wet pavements.

Alfred Arnold, a Toledo advertising salesman, was killed early today when his automobile skidded and crashed into a tree, turned over and crushed him to death.

N. & W. Brotherhood Heads Summoned Before Board

ROANOKE, VA., December 15.—W. C. Turner, vice president of the Order of Railway Conductors, and Val Fitzpatrick, vice president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, have been summoned to appear before the railroad labor board in Chicago, December 16 to "show cause why they issued a strike referendum to members of their organizations on the Norfolk & Western railway in violation of the "Transportation act."

Harding Turns To Progressives For Advice

MARION, O., Dec. 15—In his consultations on public questions, President-elect Harding turned today to the progressive wing of Republicanism, having an appointment with Raymond Robins, a former leader of the Progressive party and during the last campaign a member of the Republican executive committee.

It is understood that although the plan for an association of nations was one of the principle subjects discussed at the conference, Mr. Harding also desired to hear his visitor's advice on several domestic problems. For many years Mr. Robins has been interested in social welfare and is a student of labor conditions.

Tonight the president-elect is to deliver his first public address since his return to Marion, speaking here at a state meeting of child welfare workers.

ARE PLENTIFUL

Christmas trees are plentiful these days and many are being offered for sale. They are selling all the way from 25 cents to $1.00, but not many at the latter price.

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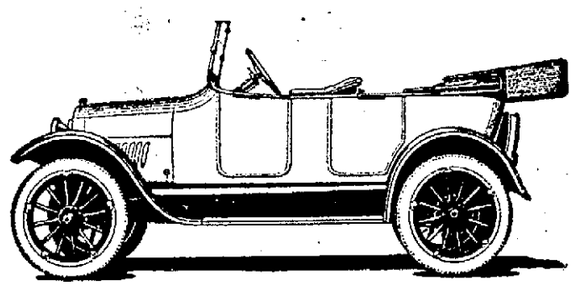

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Knights of Pythias

NOTICE

All members of Magnolia Lodge No. 115 K. of P. are requested to attend the 10th District Meeting which will be held at Castle Hall, Fourth and Washington Streets, Wednesday evening, December 15th, 1920 at 7:30 P. M. All Knights of Pythias in the City are invited to attend this BIG PYTHIAN RALLY.

Signed

J. OSCAR KANOUSE,
Chancellor Commander

Dempsey Will Fight Big Jess Willard On St. Patrick's Day

PENNY ANTE — Trying To Make It Four Nights In A Week

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Bill Brennan who was knocked out in the 12th round by Jack Dempsey, the heavy-weight champion, in Madison Square Garden last night, said today he intended to ask for another match.

"I am not satisfied that Dempsey is my superior," he declared.

The challenger, while saying that he had vindicated himself, asserting he was "surprised" when the referee motion him to his corner, believed that he had beaten the count in the twelfth.

Dempsey said: "Brennan was tougher than I expected. He stood up longer than I thought he would. His blows didn't hurt me at any time, but I found him a hard man to hit properly."

Dempsey's manager said the champion was not in the best condition, having trained too hard.

Dempsey expects to leave for the Pacific coast tomorrow, to remain until late in February, when he will come back to New York to train for his match with Jess Willard on St. Patrick's day.

The match last night broke all records for receipts for an indoor affair in this country, according to unofficial estimates today. The 11,956 seats brought in $200,852.50. This does not take into account the receipts from 1,000 temporary bleacher seats and two thousand persons who obtained standing room. The match between Dempsey and Willard, which was fought in an open air arena, netted $452,522, the high water mark.

Deducting Dempsey's share of $100,000 and Brennan's guarantee of $35,000 last night the promoters estimated profit, after paying taxes and expenses, probably will be about $13,000, it was estimated. The federal tax will be approximately $21,000 and the state tax $10,500.

Will Train At New Orleans

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—New Orleans has been selected as the training camp for the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club. The contract was signed today. No decision has been reached as to when the training period will begin, but final details, including the exhibition schedule with the New York American League team, will be taken up tomorrow when Manager Robinson arrives from Baltimore to attend the National League meeting.

Akron Franchise On Market

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Frank Doyle, business manager of the Akron (Ohio) Club International League, said today that officers of the club had authorized him to dispose of the franchise while in New York.

"I am negotiating with certain persons, whose names I am not at liberty to state," said Mr. Doyle, "and it is safe to say that the club probably will remain in Akron, but will be under the control of 'new blood.'"

MATHEWSON IS SINKING

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Word was received today that Christy Mathewson, the famous pitcher and formerly manager of the Reds, is slowly losing ground in the battle for life at Saranac Lake. He is very weak and has to be kept constantly in a darkened room. He is allowed no visitors and cannot reply to letters. This news was received with sincere feeling of regret by all the baseball men here.

Big Bill Says Tanks Can Beat Wellston Team

(Ironton Register)

Wellston's huge eleven defeated Portsmouth's Smoke House crew Sunday by a score of 10 to 0. Wellston loaded up a little for the game, while Portsmouth played without the services of Selby or Williams and three other of the regular men. Wellston was able to score but one touchdown, the other coming on a field goal in the fourth period. The victory has set Wellston to claiming the championship of south central Ohio and their claims are not bringing joy to Ironton players or fans. Manager Bill Brooks of the Tanks says that the Tanks are able to take the measure of Wellston and if they continue in their claims he will challenge them for a game here about Christmas day. Such a contest as this would be an attraction worth going miles to see.

Illinois Is Planning For Handsome Stadium

URBANA, Ill., Dec. 15—Official action on the proposed concrete athletic stadium at the University of Illinois will be taken when the board of trustees of the university convenes in Chicago on December 18. At that time consideration will be given the proposition as submitted by the athletic association of the university.

That the proposed stadium will not be a bowl, seems almost certain. Since huge gridiron areas have come into vogue, many experiments have been made to find the most suitable type of stadium to hold the monster crowds which gather for outdoor athletics.

Illinois officials, however, after investigation have decided that a horseshoe, with one end open to allow air circulation, is much more desirable than a bowl and tentative plans for such a horseshoe will be presented to the board of trustees at their meeting in Chicago.

Robert C. Zuppke, football coach, will have charge of the plans and will visit numerous other universities to get ideas for the Illinois project. The selection of definite plans remains with the board, as does also the selection of a site. Many Illinois fans are urging the stadium's erection on historic Illinois Field, but others favor a new site south of the main campus.

The stadium is expected to seat about 60,000 and will be used for track and field meets as well as football.

State Will Take Report With Grain Of Salt

BERKELEY, Cal., December 15—Two members of the University of California football team, Dan McMillan, right tackle, and Bob Berkey, end today were reported limping from injuries, and fears were expressed that possibly they would not be able to play in the game against Ohio State University at Pasadena, Cal., New Year's Day.

McMillan splintered a small bone in his heel some time ago, and Berkey was reported suffering from a weak leg, which was broken last year, and which has not recovered its full strength. California will start practicing for the Ohio State game December 15.

MAY MEET TO ARRANGE BIG GAME

Word came from Wellston Tuesday afternoon that the F. O. E. football team of that city would be ready to play the Ironton Tanks at any time, but prefer to play here instead of Cannonville. It is likely that the management of both teams will meet here this week and arrange the details of the big game which probably will be staged on Christmas Day.

Cats and Diphtheria.

Cats don't carry diphtheria, declares Doctor Savage, medical officer of health for Somerset county, England. In an address to the Royal Sanitary institute Doctor Savage stated that, even when cats were closely associated with diphtheria patients, the true diphtheria bacillus could not be found in their throats. He had tried to infect cats with human diphtheria, but had failed.

Early Fireworks.

In Rome, at the creation of the popes, illuminated "hand grenades" were thrown from the tops of castles, and about the commencement of the Fourteenth century fireworks had become an art in which inventors displayed great ability in combining the powers of architecture, sculpture and painting.

Football Popular? Eh, Bo

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 15—Comparative figures given out by the athletic director of the University of Cincinnati shows the steady growth of the popularity of football at that institution.

In 1918, the attendance was 3940, against a total of 22,194 during the 1920 football season. The gross receipts this year were $17,461, and in 1918, $2750. Net profits for the 1920 season were $8,311.74.

Oh, Hush!

An authority on zoology, Ellen Velvin, author of "From Jungle to Zoo," says that there are only two absolutely dumb animals in the world. They are the giraffe and the kangaroo.

WHEN "LADIES OF THE SENATE" FETED MRS. HARDING

Photograph shows the guests at the luncheon given for Mrs. Harding by the "Ladies of the Senate." The arrow points to Mrs. Harding.

Politics were forgotten recently when Mrs. Warren G. Harding, Mrs. Marshall, wife of the vice president, and Mrs. B. McLean joined the "Ladies of the Senate" at the first of the weekly luncheons of this session. These luncheons were organized by Mrs. Marshall several years ago to bring the wives of the senators together. Mrs. Harding was the guest of honor at this luncheon and Mrs. McLean, who has been hostess to Mrs. Harding during her visit in Washington, was one of the invited guests. The luncheon was given in the senate reception room.

STICKS TO NAVY DESPITE FORTUNE WILLED TO HIM

Abraham Schneider.

Abraham Schneider, seaman on the U. S. destroyer Wadsworth, says he will "stick to the navy despite the fact that he has inherited $60,000 through the death of his uncle. He will be twenty-one October 1, 1921. Until then he will receive the interest from the amount. After then he will receive the principal. He is the son of Mrs. Anne Schneider of Boston, Mass.

BOWLING

MASONIC BOWLING LEAGUE

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Players	23	13	.639
Bowers	21	12	.636
Brummels	21	12	.636
Wholesalers	21	12	.636
Tramps	19	14	.575
Royals	18	15	.545
Waltons	19	17	.528
Auroras	18	18	.500
Mutuals	12	18	.400
Surveyors	9	24	.290
Horrables	10	26	.277
Movies	7	26	.212

Games This Week

Wednesday, Dec. 15.—Brummels vs. Bowers, Play House alleys.

Thursday—Dec. 16.—Royals vs. Mutuals, Play House alleys.

Friday, Dec. 17.—Tramps vs. Wholesalers, Play House alleys.

Poor scores rules in the contest between the Players and Waltons at the Play House alleys, last night. The Players won two out of three, and are now occupying the loftiest ground in the Masonic League—one in first place all by themselves. The Waltons were handicapped by the absence of their star performer, Earl A. Clare and are congratulating themselves that they won one game. Had Mr. Clare been present, the chances are the Players would be down the line a few notches. Elmer Heisel, captain of the Players, was high man of the evening, gathering 475, with Captain Sprague of the Waltons a close second with 472. The Waltons were cuffed around in the first two games and then they went at their opponents hammer and tongs, winning the last game by a wide margin. The scores:

Players—				
Staten	136	147	171	454
Rickey	138	137	129	404
Klingman	144	145	123	412
Jackson	154	166	129	449
Heisel	175	167	133	475
Totals	747	762	685	2194
Waltons—				
Sprague	167	151	154	472
Dupuy	134	115	116	415
Zottman	125	146	163	434
Tatje	163	136	146	445
Blind	125	125	125	375
Totals	714	673	754	2141

SOLVAY DUCK PIN LEAGUE
STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Skunks	30	21	9	.700
Pipers	30	18	12	.600
Wreckers	30	13	17	.433
Tar Babies	30	8	22	.267

This Week's Schedule

December 16.—Skunks vs. Pipers.

Wreckers—			
Wallace	118	110	111—339
Ellis	105	171	98—334
Rowe	64	...	...— 64
Blind	...	75	75—150
Frizzell	81	108	79—268
Blind	75	75	75—225
Totals	443	499	438 1380

Tar Babies—			
Blind	75	75	75—225
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Delamater	96	103	139—338
Totals	396	403	439 1238

AURORA BOWLING LEAGUE
Standing of the Teams

Teams	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Wizards	30	22	8	.733
Orioles	33	23	10	.697
Cleaners	30	17	13	.567
Wonders	33	18	15	.545
Marvels	30	16	14	.533
Monkeys	30	11	19	.367
Eagles	33	10	23	.303
Spiders	33	9	24	.273

This Week's Schedule

Dec. 15—Marvels vs Monkeys.

Dec. 16—Cleaners vs Wizards.

Orioles—			
Heinline	146	162	114—422
Jaynes	175	141	163—479
Yeley	127	107	120—363
Windel	120	118	114—352
Schultz	130	152	135—416
Totals	698	680	654 2032
Eagles—			
Donaldson	89	136	118—343
Corson	102	136	98—336
Cooper	132	132	168—432
Blind	120	120	120—360
Thornton	127	171	113—411
Totals	570	695	617 1882

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

N. & W. wins three games.

N. & W.—			
Aldridge	120	172	204—496
Smith	153	200	213—566
Mantel	165	136	154—455
Russell	181	155	172—508
Bruno	172	155	154—481
Totals	791	818	897 2506
Solvay—			
Glun	165	157	127—449
Delamater	145	156	171—472
Zenne	137	185	123 445
Rau	149	124	...—273
Quinn	149	166	156—471
Blind	...	...	135—135
Totals	745	788	712 2245

Steel Plant forfeits three games.

Teams	P.	W.	L.
Williams	171	186	134
Soltro	178	160	187
Bertram	171	168	...
Marple	135	...	143
Reinhart	170	157	169
Prosch	...	180	150
Totals	828	851	783

Steel Plant failed to show up.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Drews forfeit three Games.

The Drem team did not show up and thereby forfeited three games to Vulcan

Last, who rolled a nice game. Captain Belcher was high man, making high score for the night of 516 pins. Pollard was second high, with 473. Game was rolled at Good Fellowship alleys.

Vulcans—			
A. Ross	117	176	133—426
Pollard	140	159	174—473
H. Clausing	157	140	157—454
Cunningham	121	...	129—250
W. Belcher	154	192	170—516
Fisher	...	98	...— 98
Totals	689	765	763 2217

Forfeited team did not show up.

BUTCHERS BEAT LEATHER GRIPPERS

In the Selby Bowling League last night the Butchers did not have any trouble in winning three straights from the Leather Grippers. They took the third game with a margin of nearly 200 pins. Taylor had high single score of the evening getting 191 in his third game. Conley got the high total of 532 for his three games. The scores:

Leather Grippers—				
Gildea	135	155	134	424
Doll	95	152	111	348
J. Hauck	121	86	113	310
Schwoebel	124	117	147	388
Huber	109	124	120	353
Totals	584	634	625	1823
Butchers—				
Taylor	161	148	191	500
N. Nardi	131	153	169	453
Simpson	108	—	189	297
Seyfried	124	119	—	243
Conley	182	168	182	532
Franck	—	140	88	228
Totals	706	728	819	2253

DOWNEY WINS

Bryan Downey, middleweight boxer of Columbus won the referee's decision over Ralph Schappert of Wilkesbarre in a 12-round bout in the Capital city last night.

New Outfielder

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 15—Announcement that the Cleveland baseball club acquired Arthur Wagner, an outfielder, from the Joplin club of the Western league before the world's series, was made today. Wagner and three young pitchers will be the only new recruits at the champions' training camp. The pitchers are J. C. Edwards, Charles Henderson and Nelson A. Potts, all of the Delta team. The latter two are left-handers.

Grapeshot and Canister.

Grapeshot was a bunch of pellets about the size of grapes, held together in a canvas bag, or by an iron pin and a series of iron plates containing holes in which the shot rested. Canister consisted of a number of cast iron balls, a half to one inch in diameter, which were contained in one shell. Both were used in the Civil war.

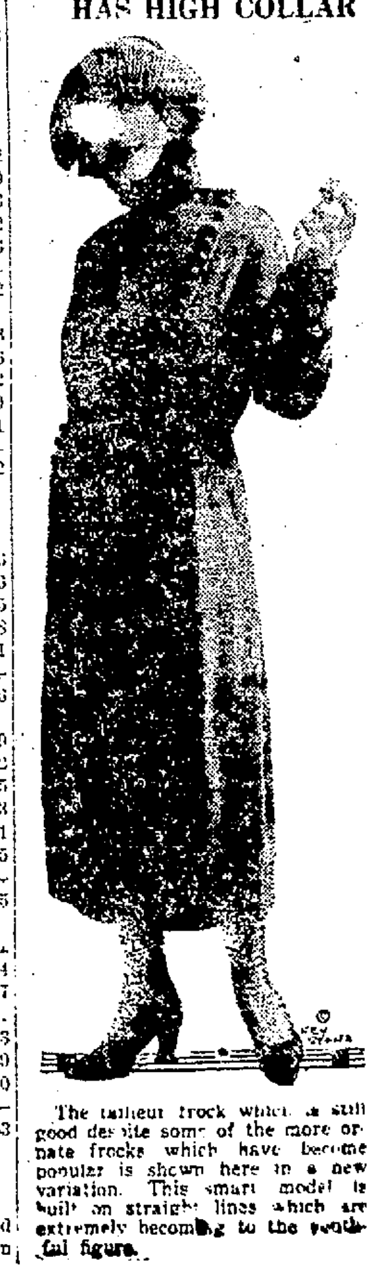
To Write Good English.

To be able to write good and pure English, one must habitually dwell and sympathize with men and women who write English of this character. Any young student who reads and enjoys Goldsmith, Jane Austen, Walter Scott, Macaulay, Froude, Stevenson, and other writers of similar rank, will certainly come in time to write good and pure English himself.—Meiklejohn.

William of Wykeham.

As a necessary adjunct and accessory to Winchester school, William of Wykeham founded New college at Oxford, and the publication of the charter of foundation of the latter establishment bears the date of November 26, 1379. Wykeham, to this day, is one of the most popular characters in English history, and his biography is indeed a large part of it.—Chicago Journal.

TAILLEUR FROCK HAS HIGH COLLAR



The tailleur frock which is still good despite some of the more ornate frocks which have become popular is shown here in a new variation. This smart model is built on straight lines which are extremely becoming to the youthful figure.

KNEE LENGTH SKIRT AND SIDE CREASE IN TROUSERS STARTLE CINCINNATI FOLK

Miss Frank Nevis in her knee-length skirt and Frank Sinclair with his side-creased trousers.

Americans thought little about it when King George of England appeared in public recently with his trousers creased at the sides—as were those of our uncles and fathers, perhaps. But when Frank Sinclair appeared on the street in Cincinnati recently with the crease "in the wrong place," the people stared quite hard. With Sinclair appeared Miss Frank Nevis in a knee-length skirt, which is quite the thing in Paris.

SELBY TEAM LEADS

Standing of Teams

	W.	L.	Pct.
Selby	36	12	.750
Invincibles	39	15	.722
Excelsiors	28	20	.583
Wholesalers	29	22	.569
Selects	14	40	.259
Allies	7	41	.146

In a game as full of scrap and protested decisions as a baseball game, so that it was lucky they had a minister of the Gospel to umpire for them, the Invincibles met the Wholesalers last night at Wilhelmette Hall. Jim Breece was not in the game, with the result that the Invincibles were the best disorganized set of players that has appeared on the floor this year. Sometimes half the side would try for the same ball at other times the ball would fall to the floor without a single man trying to field it. Individually they played brilliantly, and in that way took the odd game, but team work there was nix. On the Wholesalers side, Reinhard and Rickey played brilliant games. Guy Edwards broke into the game on the side of the Wholesalers and played the finest and snappiest game that any man playing for the first time, has ever played since Eddie Hock broke into the game. The Wholesalers have a rare acquisition in his lanky person.

On Monday the Selects met the Allies, in three hot battles, as the scores show, 21 to 20, 21 to 10 and 21 to 12. The Allies put up a stiff fight, but the Selects succeeded in putting all three games into their percentage column.

The lineups yesterday were as follows:

Invincibles—Jim Finney, Captain, Vaughn Finney, Elmer Schoemaker, Lester Finney, Ralph Marting and Donald Phillips.

Wholesalers—C. M. Howland, Capt. Walter Haas, Orla Rickey, Earl Reinhard, Guy Cornutte, S. L. Means and Guy Edwards.

Volley Ball League

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Selby Culls	35	4	897
High School Faculty	23	10	.697
Ministers	17	16	.515
Bankers	19	20	.487
Standard Supply	12	24	.333
Doctors	5	34	128

The Standard Supply met the High School Faculty on the latter's floor last night, and copped one game. The Faculty had a crippled team, Prof. Appel, Eccles and Wheeler being absent. The Standard consequently took the first game easily, 21 to 10, but lost the next 17 to 21 and the third 11 to 21.

The line-ups were as follows:

High School Faculty—Coach McComb, E. E. Seig, Wm. Massie and G. D. Walden.

Standard Supply — Ben Leichner Chester Kerr, J. Turney, Russell Bryant, Robert McConell and Joe Russell.

Unseemly Temper.

A taxi driver who knocked a man down in Gracechurch street has summoned him for using abusive language. It seems a pity that pedestrians cannot be knocked down without showing their temper like this.—London Punch.

Was a Mammoth Elephant.

Fossilized bones of a huge elephant recently discovered in France include a tusk weighing 440 pounds and a tooth weighing seventeen pounds. Scientists say that the animal must have stood over thirteen feet high.

LEGAL NOTICE

Frank Bates, whose place of residence is unknown, and whose last known place of residence was Mingo Junction, Ohio, will take notice that on the 15th day of October, 1920, his wife, Flossie Bates, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being cause No. 16462, praying for a divorce from him on the grounds of gross neglect of duty toward her, extreme cruelty and adultery.

Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 2nd day of December, 1920.

FLOSSIE BATES, Plaintiff.
B. F. KIMBLE, Attorney.
Nov. 10-6 Weds.

BOND SALE

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk, at his office in the Village of New Boston, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon, Dec. 15th, 1920, for the purchase of Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000) worth of six per cent Fire Equipment Bonds. Twenty four in number and numbered consecutively from one to twenty-four and in denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each.

Said bonds shall be dated November 1st 1920 and shall mature: No. 1, May 1st, 1921 and the remaining of the consecutive numbers shall mature, one every six months thereafter.

These bonds will be issued by the village of New Boston, Ohio, under authority of law and ordinance, both premium and interest being payable at the office of the village Treasurer, interest payable semi-annually.

A certified check for Two per cent of the amount of bonds bid for must accompany each bid.

No bid for less than par value and accrued interest to day of delivery will be accepted. Bonds to be delivered to buyer at Portsmouth, Ohio.

The village reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids.

RUSSELL MIDDAUGH,
10-1 Weds. Clerk

LEGAL NOTICE

J. A. Hirsch, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 27th day of September, 1920, George Appel filed his petition in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, being case No. 16426, praying among other things for personal judgment against him, the said J. A. Hirsch, in the sum of $250.00 with interest at 7 per cent per annum on his certain promissory notes held by said George Appel, and also praying for a foreclosure of a chattel mortgage on one (1) Automobile, make Interstate-Chummy, formerly sold to the said J. A. Hirsch by the said George Appel.

Said J. A. Hirsch will take notice that he is required to answer said cause of action on or before six weeks from the date of this first publication.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1920.
GEORGE APPEL
24-6 Weds. T. C. Beatty, Attorney

LEGAL NOTICE

Donald T. Bush, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that Mary Forsythe Bush has filed her petition against him in the court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, being case no. 16509, praying for divorce, custody of minor children, and alimony on the grounds of gross neglect of duty: and that said cause will be for hearing on and after six weeks from the date of this first publication.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1920.
MARY FORSYTHE BUSH
T. C. Beatty, Attorney. 24-6 Weds.

IN THE PROBATE COURT
STATE OF OHIO, SCIOTO COUNTY
NOTICE

Lydia Young Donohoe, administratrix of the estate of Harriet M. Young, deceased, Plaintiff,

vs.

Charles Young, Tillie Young, Stewart Young, Elizabeth Young, Crawford Young, Millie Young, Kathryn Young Willis, J. R. Willis, Lydia Young Donohoe, Charles R. Donohoe, Gilbert Hollar a minor, aged 17 years; Harold Young, a minor, aged 15 years; and Margaret Young, a minor aged 11 years; being all the heirs and next of kin of Harriet M. Young, deceased; and The Citizens Savings & Loan Association Company, an Ohio corporation, Defendants.

Proceeding to Sell Real Estate.
Case No. 15223

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Scioto County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on Thursday, the 6th day of January, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., upon the premises at No. 1106 Lawson Street, in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, the following described real estate situate in the County of Scioto State of Ohio, and the City of Portsmouth, to-wit:

Being all of Lot Number Twenty-Seven (No. 27) and twenty (20) feet and nine (9) inches off the south side of Lot Number Twenty-Six and one-half (No. 26 1-2) of the Board of Trade Addition to said City of Portsmouth, Ohio, as the same are known and designated by said numbers respectively, upon the Plat of said Addition, as recorded in Book 2, Page 5, of the Record of Plats of said Scioto County, Ohio, said two parcels being contiguous and having a frontage of fifty feet, nine inches (50 ft. 9 in.) on the east side of Lawson Street and extending back of equal width to an alley in the rear thereof; and being the premises generally known as No. 1106 Lawson Street.

Said property is appraised at Twelve Thousand ($12,000.00) Dollars. Terms of sale as follows:

One-third (1-3) cash; one-third (1-3) in one year; one-third (1-3) in two years. The deferred payments to bear interest at 6 per cent per annum, and to be secured by a mortgage on said premises.

LYDIA YOUNG DONOHOE,
Administratrix of the estate of Harriet M. Young, deceased.
JOHNSON & SKELTON, Attorneys.
12-5-4 Weds

The Portsmouth Daily Times

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The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for publication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published herein.

The Chamber of Commerce devotes the whole of the last issue of "The Portsmouth Pepto-Graph" to reciting the activities and achievements of the chamber. It is a proud and impressive story thus told, but, at that there seems to be one thing missing, one thing oversighted, so to speak. Sure, we can't mean anything else other than a new station for the Peerless, not one of those iridescent affairs of "next year," but a thing of concrete and proportion right away, soon, quick, immediately. We move a committee on a new station be appointed; seconded by everybody that has ever seen a a train stop here or leave. Carried! The committee can go to committee-ing instanter.

It's a dizzy old world. Think of one William J. Bryan, once the prophet and hope of the plain people, being called into chummy consultation with Warren Gamaliel Harding, president-elect, in the joy and expectation of big business—Bryan after whom the organs stalked with bludgeon and bullet, for 24 years, shouting at every dark turn: We've got him and he's deadern a door nail this time—Bryan with whom the Demmies wandered in the wilderness for a fifth of a century and were foolishly proud of hunger and thirst under such a peerless leader. That's politics for you. Cast a creature and an issue aside and the other party picks it up.

The cheery and cherubic Professor Taft tells the world, after an interview with Harding, that the solution of the league of nations puzzle will be a happy concatenation of master minds with that of the president-elect on the subject, but the president-elect still declaring he has no mind on the subject, we must conclude the cheery and cherubic mind may be a trifle quick on the trigger, so to speak. And there's Hi Johnson yet to be consulted and to roar.

Yes, we have seen other winters like this, lots of 'em, as many as two out of three of all we have seen.

Since the Portsmouth dam was completed two new boats have been entered in the trade. They'll come ten times that fast when the whole canalization plan is completed.

They are all alike. The French have fallen to quarreling over their big men in the war, that is, whether they performed service as it should be, and Col. E. M. House comes into the public prints to defend Foch for arranging an armistice. Over on this side we can't see where any defense is needed, but otherwise we have a few defects in the optics ourselves.

Somewhere down in Virginia a mob tried to break into the jail and lynch a negro the other night for assaulting and robbing a white merchant, but was staid in its purpose by bullets from the sheriff's guards, which abruptly punctured its leader. One argument of that sort is worth more than several hundred thousand tirades against the south from press and pulpit.

NOW COMES THE "ROLLER" HAIR BRUSH

The roller family, most famous of which is the Steam variety that commonly functions at political conventions, has had a recent addition in the shape of a "roller" hair brush. The new brush which has made its appearance in some of the up-to-date barber shops of the city, is rolled over the patron's head, and is supposed to have almost magical effect in producing a pompadour, or in making obstreperous hair lie in any desired position.

John Jackson whose shop is in the Turley building, says his new roller brush is only the revival of the ones exactly similar that Coy Frank White in former days used on his patrons. The roller brush is now found in most of the exclusive barber shops in the east and are rapidly spreading westward.

TWENTY-FOUR YEARS AGO

The engagement of Miss Lucy Miller of Chillicothe to Albert Bazler of East Orange, N. J., formerly of Portsmouth, was announced.

A marriage license was issued to Edward Kuhner and Julia Gifford of Bloom Switch.

There was great competition between Squire Hall and Squire Cole along matrimonial lines. As an inducement to couples who obtained marriage licenses, Squire Cole offered to place an order with a photographer to take the picture of each couple who came to him (Squire Cole) to be married.

Thieves ransacked the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Turner on Twelfth street, robbing the victims of all bed clothing in the house.

Henry Wishon, son of Supt. Wishon of the infirmary, was preparing to enter the ministry.

George Rueppel was arranging to open a meat market at Sixth and Glover streets in the old Chatfield property. He had been in business with George Brandau.

Capt. Cole Gilliland returned to Cincinnati after a visit with his sons here.

Three Candidates

Three candidates, Charles Holbrook, J. B. Guthrie and William French were given the Esquire rank at the weekly meeting of Magnolia Lodge K. of P. Monday evening. Arrangements were also made to have a big delegation present Wednesday night at the tenth district meeting.

IMPORTED DIVORCE

By Frederic J. Haskin

NEW YORK, December 15.—It has recently been observed and remarked upon that a number of women who move in the most expensive society of the country have been getting their divorces in Paris, usually along with their frocks. Thus the lawmakers of the fashion code have, by their own example, laid down a new decree for high society.

Of recent years there is as much danger of bad form in connection with a divorce as with any other social function. Just as it is not in accordance with the best thought on etiquette to be married in a lavender waistcoat, or to appear at your funeral in a polkadot necktie, so it is incorrect to be divorced in your home town. The law of the elite goes further to prescribe the exact place where a divorce is to be most agreeably and fashionably obtained, and like all questions of style, the social divorce center shifts with the seasons.

South Dakota, unconsciously instituted the divorce pilgrimage as a national custom, when it made six months a sufficient time to establish months a sufficient time to establish to encourage farmers, business men, and home-makers to come in to develop the state. But it did not take the unhappily married of other states long to see the use to which such a law might be put. In the modest town of Sioux Falls a divorce colony rose, prospered, and then fell heavily.

For a New York lawyer was attracted to the beauties of the liberal divorce and residence laws, and by advertising them, and himself, he started what is now a well-worn trail from New York to Reno. Since then, Reno has been a resort of the fashionable world when the marriage bond bored or annoyed it. Yet Nevada claims that Reno has been misjudged, in that it is regarded nationally as a wild and reckless town.

Reno Not For Rich Only

As a matter of fact, there are all sorts of people among the prospective divorce-seekers of Reno. There are a few gay and dashing types, and many more quietly exclusive types, and there are a great many ordinary citizens from Pittsburgh, Sacramento, New York, and other places, who have journeyed to Nevada to get a release from troubles which their respective states refused to recognize as grounds.

Reno is indisputably the center of the divorce industry in this country, with only Newport as a possible rival for fashionable divorces. As a result, Reno is somewhat different from any other city in the United States. It is a prosperous and attractive little community, with luxurious shops, theaters, hotels and cafes, all of a scale of sumptuous ordinarily boasted only by larger cities.

Reno lawyers may well be shivering in their boots over the tendency of fashion to turn to Paris for its divorces. Once before when Nevada tried for a year the experiment of changing its residence requirements from six months to one year, there was an alarming decrease in the contents of its coffers. Paris backed by fashionable approval, may attract only a small fraction of Nevada's clients. But that shifting hundred or so of population is important to the lawyers, furriers, caterers, jewelers, and hotel men of the town.

Paris as a divorce colony is a logical aftermath of war conditions. Passports for Europe have been granted grudgingly for several years, and now the rush for Paris is on. There is no longer any difficulty in getting a passport from the government for France, provided one agrees to pay ten dollars for it. And there is no difficulty in obtaining a passage on a steamer, provided you make up your mind a year or two in advance of the day you wish to sail.

Paris offers attractions to the fastidious divorce-seeker that Reno, with all its efforts to make visitors comfortable, can scarcely rival. In the first place, Paris is indisputably a correct place in which to be seen by one's friends. And of course, Paris offers a fascinating collection of amusements. With races, cabarets, theaters, dressmakers, and milliners at hand, a sad or impatient candidate for divorce has plenty of diversion between the ordeals of appearing in court.

Paris More Exclusive

Another advantage of Paris from the society point of view is that it promises to be more exclusive as a divorce colony. Many a person of moderate means goes to Reno to gain release from an intolerable marriage. In Reno, he or she finds employment and settles down to establish residence and get a decree. A Paris divorce, however, necessarily costs a good deal more. To get your divorce in Paris is generally a badge of affluence.

The French divorce law is lenient, and usually swift. The applicant appears at the court to file a petition and a hearing is in time set. The judge solemnly urges that the parties reconsider before taking the fatal step, and then, having done his duty, he proceeds to hear the grievances and any protests from the other side, if present.

Kinds of Cruelty

Incompatibility, which for a time was one of the stated grounds on which a divorce could be obtained by French law, is no longer recognized as adequate grounds. Cruelty, however, is just cause for divorce, and no judge has ever been wise enough to set down a rule showing exactly where indifference, lack of consideration, and unkindness shade off into cruelty. In the circumstances, the possibilities of the cruelty phrase of the law are numerous. A young woman has been known to offer as an example of cruel treatment the fact that her husband thought he played piccolo beautifully, whereas his squeaky discords drove her wild. At least one harnased wife, too, has used as evidence of cruelty that the brand of smoking tobacco used by her husband made her sick, though we believe this has usually been rejected as an insufficient cause. But on the whole, a skillful lawyer can do wonders with such disputable points of conduct.

Desertion is another popular gateway to freedom. As divorces are seldom contested in formal society, the decree can usually be obtained on this ground if on no other.

There is one drawback to France as a divorce hunting ground, and that is that after a second divorce has been granted, the court decrees that the applicant may not remarry. Hence France will not do for those addicted to frequent divorce.

On the whole, the fashionable migration to Paris, in order to settle household affairs affects this country, outside of Reno, very little. Later, if there is any dispute over the legality of a French decree, as in case of remarriage or a will, there may be some interesting decisions by our courts.

We have 50 varieties of divorce law in as many states, territories, and the District of Columbia. What one state will unhesitatingly pronounce a legal divorce, may by another court a few miles away, over a state line, be pronounced invalid. Hence an imported divorce is perhaps as good a risk as a domestic one.

Joins Army

George H. Townsend, La Jose, Pa., believes that he'll like the army better than the navy, signing up for one year's service at the presidio at San Francisco, at the local army recruiting station Tuesday. Townsend served in the navy during the war.

Was a Visitor

Attorney Adna Johnson of Ironton was a business visitor to Portsmouth, Tuesday.

Questions AND Answers

(Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing The Portsmouth Daily Times Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. This offer applies strictly to information. The Bureau cannot give advice on legal, medical and financial matters. It does not attempt to settle domestic troubles, nor to undertake exhaustive research on any subject. Write your question plainly and briefly. Give full name and address and enclose two cents in stamps for return postage. All replies are sent direct to the inquirer.)

Q. What parts of a soldier's uniform are men prohibited from wearing after leaving the Army? D. E. G.

A. The War Department's opinion in determining what should be considered distinctive parts of the Army uniform, is that the following articles, when made in conformity with specifications and standard samples, or sufficiently close to appear the same when worn, are taboo, after the three months during which the uniform may be worn with the red chevron: Uniform buttons, cap ornaments collar insignia (letters "U. S." and insignia of the arm of Service), insignia of rank and grade, white and olive drab caps, hat cords, overcoats, service coats, officers' white coats, Army nurses' Norfolk coats, Army nurses' overcoats, Army nurses capes. The War Department does not object to the wearing of the Army overcoat if it has been dyed a different color from olive drab, or if altered so that it is plainly evident that it is no longer an Army garment. This also applies to other distinctive parts of the uniform.

Q. When was the first negro republic established? H. G. B.

A. Haiti was the first negro republic—having had a republican government since 1805.

Q. How many people visit Yellowstone Park each year? R. G.

A. An accurate record of visitors to this park is kept. In 1920 the total was 79,717. This was more than twice the number that visited the park in the year before we went to war. More people arrived by automobile than by train, there being 49,421 motorists making this tour during the current year.

Q. Who was known as "Snow Baby?" N. N. S.

A. This name was given Marie "Ahnighito," daughter of Robert E. Peary the famous Arctic explorer, because of the fact that she was born in Greenland, which is the farthest North any white child has been born.

Q. What is meant by telautomatics? R. T.

A. By this term is meant the control at a distance of torpedoes, boats, etc., particularly by means of radio-telegraphic impulses.

Q. What committees of the House of Representatives are called the big four? H. H.

A. The Committee on Ways and Means, Appropriations, Judiciary, and Foreign Affairs, are referred to as the "Big Four."

Q. What book in the Bible does not have the word "God" in it?

A. The Book of Esther in the Old Testament, while not containing the word "God," shows how through Divine guidance, Esther, a Jewess, was raised to the rank of Queen and was enabled to overcome the evil plotted against her people.

Q. Please state the names of the Presidents of the United States who were members of Masonic lodges? C. H. G.

A. A Grand Secretary of a Masonic Order says that the only Presidents of whom there are official records as members of a Masonic lodge are: Washington, Adams, Tyler, Taylor, Johnson, Jackson, McKinley, Taft, Roosevelt, and President-elect Harding.

Q. Are there any Confederate soldiers buried at Arlington? J. J.

A. Both Confederate and Union soldiers are buried at Arlington, the National Cemetery, and there is an elaborate Confederate monument there.

Q. What does the Census Bureau mean by unmarried men or women, that is, at what age are they so-called? H. Y. M.

A. The Bureau of Census says that when figures show the number of single persons in the United States these figures include persons over 15 years of age.

New-York-Day-By-Day

BY. O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, December 15.—The well typed, beribboned manuscript—one author sprinkles sachet over his—does not always mean literary class. In fact some of the foremost writers have never shaken off the haste of the newspaper shop and their manuscripts are to say the least untidy. At the Players the other day a group of editors were discussing manuscripts.

Sam Blythe single spaces and rarely punctuates and yet he turns out some mighty fine phrases. Irvin Cobb, like Mark Twain, wouldn't give a hang for a man who can't spell a word more than one way so he spells a word the way it sounds and lets it go at that.

Albert Payson Terhune, one of the most prolific of the fiction crew, pecks at his typewriter with one hand. He says to use the other hand would interfere with his pipe smoking. E. Phillips Oppenheim's copy is partly type-written and the rest in long hand. He rarely revises his manuscript because he plots carefully before writing and writes slowly.

Franklin P. Adams, who is best known as a paragrapher but often contributes to the magazines, has never learned the intracacies of a type-writer and uses a fountain pen—and always the ink he uses is green. Meredith Nicholson, a skilled grammarian, usually accompanies his manuscript with a letter to the editor in atrocious English—perhaps to take off the "high-brow" curse.

The late David Graham Phillips wrote standing at an old-fashioned book-keeping desk and had at his side a bunch of pencil stubs. Arthur Somers Roche writes on a light wrapping paper, cut up in regulation size. He got used to it in the days when he couldn't buy expensive paper and finds it is impossible to do his best work on any other.

Most writers, it was said, declare that they do their best work at night, the majority after midnight. A few have their secretaries and a number of others are learning to dictate their stories. George Randolph Obester was the first to accomplish this feat. His stories have been dictated to a stenographer for six years.

Such incidents perhaps bring us nearer the Commune. Also they give tired pedestrians a laugh. It was raining. A limousine stopped on Fifth Avenue and a matronly woman and a girl in long curls stepped out. The girl held a leash which was fastened to a Pom. The dog stepped about awkwardly enough to attract the attention of the crowds to its feet. It wore pink rubber boots and a rain proof blanket. It seemed quite miserable.

My friend Gus, who peddles Christmas toys in the shopping section, says prohibition has almost killed his business. In the good old days, Gus waited with his tray of toys on prominent street corners for late home-goers. Many who were full of liquid Christmas cheer stopped and bought his whole supply. Gus has sold out as many as ten times in a single evening. "They generally slipped me a dollar for myself," said Gus, "and now the same guys haggle over the price of a 25 cent toy."

A dinner is to be given next week to Jobless Actors. Fifty of them are stars. It is to be called a "Lay Off Banquet", and the guests of honor will tell why they think their shows are "flopped". Paddy Caine, owner of the famous theatrical warehouse where the scenery and effects of failures go will be among the guests. Paddy has his big year when Broadway has a slump, but he is a good friend of the actor and has helped many over lean days. He is an inveterate first nighter and many producers seek his verdict after the play. He predicted all the failures but two during the current season.

The Martin

What we need is a blue sky law t' keep us from takin' stock in ever-thing we hear. Mrs. Lafe Bud says nothin' makes her as mad as t' have t' stop readin' t' thread a needle fer her husband.

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DOC KOKO'S KOLUM

From The English Border

As sinks the sun behind yon alien hills
Whose heather-purpled slopes, in glory rolled,
Flush all my thought with momentary gold,
What pang of vague regret my fancy thrills?
Here 'tis enchanted ground the peasant tills,
Where the shy ballad dared its blooms unfold,
And memory's glamour makes new sight seem old,
As when our day some vanished dream fulfills;
Yet not to thee belong these painless tears,
Land loved ere seen: before my darkened eyes,
From far beyond the waters and the years,
Horizons mute that wait their post rise;
The stream before me fades and disappears.
And in the Charles the western splendor dies.

—Lowell.

Not Much of a Tipper

He was very affable and free with his opinions, was this young Englishman, but that was about all he was free with. To the man who carried his bag to the countryside station he had given one whole penny.

Notwithstanding the forlorn look on the man's face, he still continued to chat in an easy manner.

"I shall never forget," he continued, "the splendor of the scenery when I was in Siwtzerland. It was an education to see the sun rise, tipping the little blue hills with gold———"

"Ah!" interrupted the man who had toiled with his bag. "Them hills was luckier than me, weren't they?"

Repented Too Late

During a marriage ceremony in Scotland recently, the bridegroom looked extremely wretched, and he got so nervous, looking on one side and then on the other, that the "best man" decided he would find out what the trouble was. "What's up, Jack," he whispered. "Has ye lost the ring?" "No," answered the unhappy one, with a woeful look, "the ring's safe enough, but I've lost ma enthusiasm."—London Observer.

Wise Bill

"What sort of a chap is Bill to camp out with?"

"He's one of those fellows who always takes down a mandolin about the time it's up to somebody to get busy with the frying pan."

A Weak Excuse

His wife was one too many for Dobs, but, nevertheless, he persevered in his efforts to get an occasional night at the club.

"My dear," he remarked the other day, "I have only just realized how imperfect I am in my knowledge."

His wife agreed.

"No man," continued Mr. Dobbs, "ought to assume that his education is finished. As for myself, I am going to forge ahead and take up the study of astronomy."

The look in his wife's eyes became more eagle-like than ever. Her voice assumed a cold, hard tone. Her back stiffened.

"Benjamin," she thundered, "you must try again. That excuse for staying out late at night won't do!"

The Chronic Optimist

A group of war veterans were discussing Thanksgiving. One of the guests was a veteran who had lost both legs.

"And what have you to be thankful for?" they asked.

"Lots," he replied. "I've got cork legs, and I can put on my socks with thumb tacks."

Pussy the Job Does

Gretchen—"Mutter, a rat has into the milk fallen."

Mutter—"And did you it out take?"

Gretchen—"No, but I have the cat in after it thrown and when she it eaten has, I will her out lug."

WHO'S WHO

In The Days News

NEWTON WESLEY ROWELL

Newton Wesley Rowell, Canadian delegate to the assembly of the league of nations and former president of the Canadian council of ministers, has stood out against the powers in Geneva in defense of the rights and privileges of the small nations.

Newton W. Rowell.

Mr. Rowell has insisted that the league should not be dominated by the large European nations and used for furthering their interests. In backing up his views he has said that "It was due to European diplomacy that 350,000 Canadians were killed."

As leader of the Liberal party in the province of Ontario he has consistently advocated an advanced program of social legislation and was largely responsible for the workmen's compensation and factory laws, shorter hours of labor for women and children and taxation reform.

Rowell was born in Middlesex county, Ontario, in 1867. He was educated in the public schools and the Ontario Law Society. He was called to the bar in 1891 with honors and a medal. He then became head of a law firm in Toronto and later he was Liberal member of the Ontario legislative assembly in 1911. From 1911 to 1917 he was leader of the Liberal opposition in the Ontario legislature.

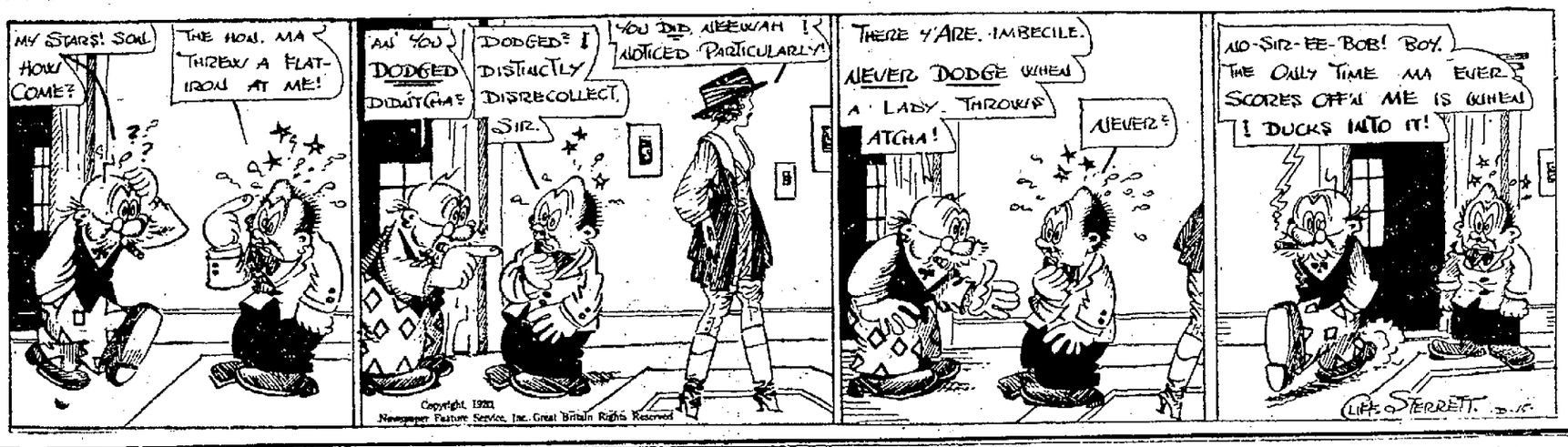
In 1918 Rowell became a member of the imperial war cabinet. He is also a member of the senate of Toronto University and a member of the senate and board of regents of Victoria University.

Rowell lists riding and walking as his favorite recreations. He lives in Ottawa.

POLLY AND HER PALS

The Time to Dodge is When They Throw Something Else

BY CLIFF STERRETT



LOUIE THE LAWYER

We Hope Ours Breaks Two

TERRIBLE TESSIE

By Hal Probasco

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MORGENTHAU ARMENIAN MEDIATOR

Chosen By President For Hard Task

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Henry Morgenthau, of New York, former ambassador to Turkey, has been selected by President Wilson to act as the president's personal representative in mediating between the Armenians and the Turkish Nationalists.

Mr. Morgenthau conferred with Acting Secretary Davis at the state department today, receiving final instructions as to his mission. The department, however, has not yet heard from the League of Nations in response to the president's request for further information as to procedure.

Strike May Paralyze The Mexican Roads

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15.—The telegraphers and station agents on the National Railways have ordered a general immediate strike, which it is feared will paralize all the lines.

Slashes Throat With Pocket Knife

YOUNGSTOWN, O., December 13.—John Pallay, 28, committed suicide last night by slashing his throat with a pocket knife. His brother said that he had been drinking heavily for several days and was suffering from delirium tremens.

Bandits Stripped Jewels Off Her Fingers, Ears

CLEVELAND, O., December 15.—Mrs. Rudolph Deutsch, wife of a jeweler, was robbed of $7,000 worth of jewels by three armed thugs who entered her home on Parkwood Drive this morning and tore diamond earrings from her ears and stripped her fingers of jewels. The robbers escaped.

TROUBLE BETWEEN RUMANIA AND RUSSIA FORECAST

VIENNA, Dec. 15—Trouble between Rumania and soviet Russia is forecast in reports from Ukrania received here. These advices declare that Rumania is adopting measures "indicative of imminence of war" with Russia over the possession of Bessarbia.

No Censorship Through Relay Points Decided

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 15.—A tentative agreement that "no censorship shall be imposed upon messages merely passing through relay points," has been reached by the international communications conference, Walter S. Rogers, one of the American commissioners to the conference, declared today before a senate committee investigating the whole question of cable communications.

TOLEDO WIND BATTERED

TOLEDO, O., December 15.—Damage in a wind storm which swept this district yesterday and last night was confined to the smashing of windows, blowing away of signs and temporary tie-ups on interurban lines. So far there have been no reports of vessels in distress on Lake Erie in the Toledo area. The wind reached a maximum velocity of 75 miles an hour.

Night Watchman Killed By Auto

SPRINGFIELD, O., December 15.—George Parsons, 60, night watchman at Whitehall farm, near Yellow Springs, was instantly killed this morning when he was struck by an automobile truck while he was returning from the farm to his home in Yellow Springs. Last night was Parson's first night as watchman, he having been transferred from a day job Monday.

NOTED PHYSICIAN DIES

YOUNGSTOWN — Dr. William Buckmer, 50, noted physician, dead.

WOMEN FARE BADLY IN THE ELECTION IN MASS.

BOSTON, December 15. — Women candidates except those for school committee places fared poorly in the municipal elections held in sixteen Massachusetts cities yesterday, according to delayed returns which were completed early today. This is attributed in part to stormy weather which kept many voters at home.

In Attleboro, Mrs. Eliza Daggett, candidate for mayor, received only 84 votes out of a total exceeding 4,000.

Sara Clark Mendum, Republican candidate for alderman in Woburn; Mrs. William H. Kirby, candidate for alderman-at-large in Beverly, and Mrs. Arabella W. Wilson, who was on the common council ticket in Malden, were defeated.

Thirteen of the cities voted to accept the state act placing boxing under control of a state commission and to permit amateur sports on Sunday afternoons.

Six showed themselves still in favor of licensing the sale of intoxicating liquors under the old local option law, although the law is without effect under national prohibition.

Gale-Driven Sleet Storm In North Ohio

CLEVELAND, O., December 15.—The gale-driven sleet storm that swept over this city and northern Ohio during the night and early hours this morning, claimed one life and brought serious injury to seven persons here, due to auto crashes on wet pavements.

Alfred Arnold, a Toledo advertising salesman, was killed early today when his automobile skidded and crashed into a tree, turned over and crashed him to death.

STEAMER IS DELAYED

TOLEDO, O., December 15.—The last word received here regarding the grain laden steamer Winona, bound for Toledo, was that the vessel had passed the Soo at 9:30 Tuesday morning. Towing company officials said concern was felt for the boat because of the high wind, but they supposed the Winona has tied up at some point up on the lakes until the wind subsides.

Mexican Cabinet Officer Dies

MEXICO CITY, December 15.—General Benjamin Hill, the secretary of war, died early this morning. He had been critically ill for several days.

Negress Sentenced For Manslaughter

CLEVELAND—Mrs. Mamie Ewing, negress, given indeterminate sentence in reformatory after pleading guilty to manslaughter in connection with death of Alma Scott last October.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

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Britain Attempted To Influence Policies Of U. S. Shipping Board, Charged

SOCIETY WOMEN WIN FAME IN ART AND LITERATURE

Left to right, above: Princess Pierre Troubetzkoy ("Amelie Rives"), Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney. Below: Mrs. Edith Wharton, Mrs. William Astor Chanler and Miss Marjorie Curtis.

Authors, dramatists and humorists have long made sport of the society woman who dabbled in art and literature, but there is a large group of New York society women who are showing these satirical professionals that one can be a success in art in spite of society life. Some of our best known women of letters are New York society matrons. Mrs. Wharton lead New York society's literary field, while Princess Pierre Troubetzkoy, better known as Amelia Rives, whose typewriter never rests and Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy have advanced well toward the foreground in the world of books, and in the field of literary criticism there is Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney. The work of Mrs. William Astor Chanler and Miss Marjorie A. Curtis has done more than invite criticism—some of it has commanded favorable comment.

"Passage Of Resolutions Promising Farmers Aid Would Raise False Hopes"

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 14—Congress would raise false hopes by the passage of resolutions promising financial relief to the farmer, in the opinion of officials in the executive branch of the government. The Senate has just passed a resolution directing the secretary of the treasury to revive the war finance corporation and expressing to the federal reserve board the opinion that liberal credits should be extended the farmers of the country.

This action of the Senate probably will be followed by a favorable vote in the House and then Congress will have discharged its obligations to the farmers who have been clamoring for help as prices declined. But the truth is the resolution will be practically ignored and will not aid the situation and the farmer who relies on it is apt to be in a worse situation than the one who doesn't.

Federal Reserve Board At Stake

Investigation at the executive end of the government reveals the fact, for instance that Governor Harding, of the federal reserve board, will stand pat and will not regard the opinion expressed in the Senate resolution as mandatory. If Congress wants anything done, it must direct the federal reserve board to do it by amending the federal reserve act. And if it does that, it ould not be surprising to see the federal reserve board go to pieces altogether by the prompt resignations of several of its members. Either the federal reserve board

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"Bonus" For Ex-Service Men Is Taken Up

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 15.—Legislation providing compensation, or a so-called "bonus" for former service men, was taken up today by the senate finance committee with a delegation representing the American Legion invited to open the hearings. The bill was passed in the house last spring.

Although conceding that the question is difficult because of the treasury's condition, taxes and other considerations, senators have expressed themselves as anxious for disposition of the matter during the present session of congress.

The hearings begun today were ordered before the full senate committee instead of the usual sub-committee.

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Reform In School Dress Is Advocated

MARION, O., December 15.—Arthur R. Arnold, secretary of the Ohio Sunday School Association; Dr. Henry H. Goddard, director of the Ohio Bureau of Juvenile Research at Columbus, and President-elect Warren G. Harding were on today's program of the Child Conservation League of Ohio, meeting here today. Senator Harding will speak tonight.

Reform in the dress of public school pupils and teachers was advocated before the league in an address last night by Superintendent H. R. McVay, of the Marion city schools. Dr. McVay said that many pupils are forced to leave school because they can not afford to dress like the majority of students. He censured the dress of many teachers, who, he said, appear before their classes in low neck gowns and short skirts.

Naval Balloon Crashes Into Mountain Side

NEW YORK, December 15.—The fate of the naval balloon, which left Rockaway Point for Canada on Monday afternoon with three passengers, and which was reported to have crashed into the side of Fork mountain, near Wells, New York, last night, was still uncertain today.

Officials of the Rockaway naval air station were without word from the crew and had received no homing pigeons which were taken in the balloon.

The crew was composed of experienced aerial navigators, headed by Lieutenant Walter Hinton, who was a member of the crew of the NC-4 during its trans-Atlantic flight. The other members of the crew are Lieutenants Stephen A. Farrell and A. L. Klorr.

WILLARD REMAINS HEAD OF B. & O.

NEW YORK—Daniel Willard, reelected president of B. & O. R. R.

NUDE STATUES "DOLLED UP"

ST. PETERSBURG, FLA., December 15.—Visitors at the Florida Winter Art School Exhibition today, found the nude statues garbed in middie blouses and bloomers. Recently the Christian Civic League censured teh nude art at the school and today several busts suspended from the ceiling by strings tied around the neck were labeled "lynched by the Christian Civic League."

NEW COIN SYMBOLIC OF PEACE IS PLANNED

COLUMBUS, O., December 15.—A new coin may be struck by Uncle Sam to commemorate the coming of peace to the world, following the greatest war of all times, according to a special dispatch from Washington to the Columbus Dispatch.

The plan, the story says, has just been presented to the house committee on coinage, weights and measures by a committee composed of Judson Brenner, of Youngstown, Ohio; Dr. J. M. Henderson, of Columbus; Representative W. A. Ashbrook and others. Mr. Brenner is prominently identified with the American Numismatic Association.

The plan proposed is that for the period of one year there shall be coined, in lieu of the standard half dollar, a coin about the size of the half dollar and having the same currency value. This coin is to be especially designed so that it will be symbolic of peace in a war-weary world. The number of coins put out during the year would be regulated by the ordinary currency demands. The "peace half dollar" would be coined at the Philadelphia mint under the proposed plan.

Heretofore, special coins have been issued to sell at a premium to boost worthy projects of national importance, and this would be the first coin designed to circulate at par value.

The committee expressed itself as favorable to the idea, but it was decided to refer the proposal to the secretary of of the treasury to get his view on it.

Harding Turns To Progressives For Advice

MARION, O., Dec. 15—In his consultations on public questions, President-elect Harding turned today to the progressive wing of Republicanism, having an appointment with Raymond Robins, a former leader of the Progressive party and during the last campaign a member of the Republican executive committee.

It is understood that although the plan for an association of nations was one of the principle subjects discussed at the conference, Mr. Harding also desired to hear his visitor's advice on several domestic problems. For many years Mr. Robins has been interested in social welfare and is a student of labor conditions.

Tonight the president-elect is to deliver his first public address since his return to Marion, speaking here at a state meeting of child welfare workers.

PACKING HOUSE DESTROYED

ASHTABULA, O., December 15.—The F. C. Gerald packing house, located five miles west of town, was completely destroyed by fire late last night. The loss is estimated at $100,000. There was no insurance.

Denman Would Reveal Sources Of Interference

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 15.—Members of the British mission which visited the United States in 1917, attempted to influence the policies of the shipping board, William Denman, of San Frencisco, first chairman of the board, testified today before the special house committee investigating the board's operations.

In this connection the witness said that if he could obtain the permission of President Wilson for the disclosure of "certain phases" of shipping board negotiations "one of the sources of interference with by administration as head of the board may be disclosed."

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Pass Dividend On Preferred

NEW YORK, December 15.—Directors of the Willys-Overland Company today announced their regularly quarterly dividend of 1 3-4 per cent on preferred stock would be passed.

Was Grandmother of 42 Children

XENIA, O., Dec. 15—Funeral services were held here today for Mrs. Susan Bush, negro woman, who died Sunday night, the grandmother of 42 children and the great grandmother of 25 children. Mrs. Bush, whose age was unknown, was the mother of 15 children, of whom only four are living.

BEETHAM IS TIPPED AS SPEAKER IN THE HOUSE

COLUMBUS, O., December 15.—Selection of Rupert R. Beetham, of Cadiz, Harrison county, for the house speakership of the eighty-fourth general assembly by the caucus of Republican members this afternoon, practically was conceded in all quarters a short time before the caucus convened. H. T. Robins, of Chillicothe, was understood to have announced his withdrawal from the race and doubt was expressed by some whether Robert Dunn, of Wood county, would authorize presentation of his name.

Practically as certain as Beetham's selection was that of C. C. Crabbe, of Madison county, for the majority floor leadership. In all quarters it appeared to be a settled fact that Crabbe is to be the choice of the caucus. No mention of "dark horse" candidates for either the speakership or that of floor leader have been made.

Captain John P. Maynard was unopposed for re-election as clerk. A number who held minor clerkships during the last session are expected to be re-employed.

Two women are expected to be given important positions. Miss Potter, of Worthington, for twelve years postmistress of that Columbus suburb, is expected to be endorsed for second assistant sergeant-at-arms, which carries the duties of postmaster for the house. Mrs. Ella Potter, of McConnellsville, probably will be endorsed for enrolling clerk. She has been engaged in newspaper work for twenty years.

Dr. Alfred Robinson, of Ironton, was unopposed for sergeant-at-arms. "Private" James Dalzell may not be retained as sergeant but as first assistant sergeant-at-arms. There are two other civil war veterans asking for the position.

The twelve Democrat members of the house also were to caucus today. They are expected to endorse H. S. Atkinson, of Columbus, for the speakership.

Consignees Must Pay For Sugar

NEW YORK, December 15.—Supreme Court Justice Cohalan today handed down a decision compelling consignees in 24 sugar cases involving more than a million dollars, to pay 22 cents a pound for sugar which they had agreed to purchase from Lamborn & Company, of this city, at that price, but had refused to accept on its arrival in Baltimore after the market had

Czecho-Slovakia Is Seething With Violent Outbreaks

LONDON, December 15.—A military dictatorship has been imposed in some of the industrial districts of Czecho-Slovakia, but a "proletariat dictatorship" has been established in several others, according to a Central News dispatch from Vienna today. Many casualties have occurred in conflicts at some points, it is declared.

WAR REFERENDUM IS CONSIDERED BY HARDING AND HARVEY

BY ROBERT T. SMALL
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MARION, O., Dec. 14—New interest in the coming of William Jennings Bryan to Marion on Friday has been lent by a statement from Col. George Harvey, house guest of Senator and Mrs. Harding, that he and the President-Elect have been discussing seriously the last few days the feasibility of the United States standing as sponsor for an association of peoples who shall pledge their respective governments for all time never to engage in offensive warfare until the question has ben submitted to, and decided by, the people themselves.

This idea of a war referendum has been close to Mr. Bryan's heart for a long time. He espoused it with particular passion at the Jackson Day dinner at Washington last January. He declared it was the people who suffered in time of war and felt they should be consulted before the making of war was begun. This would not mean a vote of the people in the event of an invasion or an unwarranted attack by another power. The temper of the people in such circumstances would need no referendum to give itself expression.

Mr. Bryan felt, however, that the declaration of war by the United States against Germany and later against Austria in 1917 was particularly a case wherein the public will should have been consulted by means of a referendum.

Harvey Supports Bryan's Plan

Comparatively little attention was paid to Mr. Bryan's suggestion at the time it was made, but now support for his plan has come from an unexpected quarter. Col. Harvey, who has been spending several days at the Harding home in Mount Vernon Avenue, has announced the chief topic of conversation between him and the President-Elect has been a proposal which he characterized as "dwarfing all previous propositions designed to perpetuate peace and to democratize the world."

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Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES' WEATHER MAN

This is the season o' the biggest stockin' hoin' the most popular. Here's, your weather:

OHIO—Cloudy tonight and Thursday with snow flurries in the north and extreme east portion. Not much change in temperature.

KENTUCKY — Fair tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 38; low, 23.

"CLASSIC" CASE IS STUBBORNLY FOUGHT; TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

The cases of George Borres, Peter Storres and Nick Clarras, proprietors of The Classic, charged with operating the restaurant department of their business in violation of the Sunday closing law, were submitted to Judge Small in Municipal court Tuesday on an agreed statement of fact and arguments of counsel, Judge Harry Ball appearing for the Law Enforcement League and Attorney E. G. Millar representing the defendants.

At the conclusion of the arguments the court took the cases under advisement until Friday when it was announced he would hand down his decisions.

The argeed statement of fact, to which Attorney Millar interposed a demurrer and moved the court to dismiss the defendants, recited that "The Classic" is one of the leading confectionery and soft drink, ice cream and candy kitchens in the city and that the defendants since purchasing the business last June have added to it a lunch department and served sanwiches, with potatoes and gravy, hot chicken, hot pork, hot coffee, cold sandwiches, chickekn ou toast and other articles of food.

It was further agreed that there is no kitchen connected with the business, but that there is a steam box behind the lunch counter in the main room used for keeping warm all food obtained for service to the trade and also that there are several places in the city that make it their chief business, if not their only business, to serve meals every day in the week, including Sunday. "Two of these places are within a few rods of the place of the defendants," the statement continues, saying "the defendants do not have regular boarders or serve regular meals but the customers order whatever they desire from the menu."

It was agreed that the defendants opened their place of business on Sunday, Dec. 5 and served as called for as usual on other days of the week, only articles in their lunch department and did not sell or offer for sale anything in the other department.

It was admitted that there is no sign of devise inside or out of the premises to indicate that the place is a regular eating house or restaurant and that the defendants obtained a license from the State Fire Marshal as required by the General Code of persons operating a restaurant under the provisions of that act.

Attorney Millar in support of his contention that his clients were wholly within their rights declared that it was all a question of public policy that we have one day of rest and not on account of religious views as many suppose that Sunday is observed.

He claimed that the establishment conducted by the defendants came within the scope of a public eating house and he cited a long line of authorities to bear out his claim, chief of which was. "But it is task much more difficulty, and one that a court ought not unnecessarily to attempt, to draw a line that shall clearly distinguish works of necessity from those that are not. It is easy to say that to feed the hungry, attend the sick, rescue a fellow being from danger, and also to take care of and preserve a dumb brute, are all works of necessity and charity. The care and preservation of property, though inanimate may also be a work of necessity.

The law contemplates that the community has a general need that all should rest on Sunday. Most of the affairs and doings on week days are less important than this need or rest day, but some are superior. To keep the body physically sound by food, to provide the facilities for worship during some hours of the day, and for restful mental occupation during other, to nurse and heal the sick, to provide prompt burial of the dead, these and some other objects are superior to the need of repose. Necessary work includes all that is indispensable to be done on Sunday in order to secure attainment of whatever is more important to the community than the day of rest."

Attorney Millar claimed that each case must be decided by the circumstances and that if furnishing food was more important to man than rest, then it became more of a question of fact that of law. He declared that the size of the establishment did not control and asserted that the "hot dog" vendor had as much right to sell his products on Sunday as any other day in the week.

Attorney Ball took issue with opposing counsel and contended that the defendants establishment does not come within the mening of the law as a public eating house nor as a work of necessity or charity. He reviewed the Sunday work and labor laws passed in this state from 1831 up to present and stated that the tendency of all the legislation on the question was to provide further rest which he said was welcomed by all hard working people. He said there was a tendency to shorten hours of labor and that the physical necessity for rest was the basis and object of the Sunday law. He declared that the full effect should be given the statutes for the protection of the Sabbath so as to promote the ends for which they were passed.

The speaker stressed that the Sunday law is more than a mere convenience yet he stated that any business could legally be operated on Sunday but it must be a real necessity and not a mere desire, he said, in pointing out that a great majority want to observe the Sunday laws and that only a few grasping persons don't want to close their places.

Judge Ball declared that the defendants establishment was not essential to the welfare of the community and that it could not be regarded as a bonifide eating house and pointed out that the sale of soft drinks, candy and ice cream was the main feature of the business.

Judge Ball quoted from various authorities from many states in the union in which the question has been passed upon by the courts to back up his stand in respect to the cases at bar.

C. OF C. MEMBERSHIP DRIVE BEGINS

The annual Chamber of Commerce membership campaign started Wednesday morning with eight soliciting teams at work. The campaign workers managed by Floyd Fuller will devote two hours this morning and two hours Thursday morning to the campaign work. It is hoped to cover all the territory in this length of time.

A meeting was held by the solicitors at C. of C. rooms Tuesday night at which time the prospect cards were given out. This morning the workers met at the C. of C. rooms went over their cards and started out on their work.

The workers will have lunch at the Elks Club at noon at which time the workers will report.

There is a contest among the workers which will make each team hustle to get as many new members as possible.

The teams and their personnel follow:

Team No. 1—Frank Coburn, William Kugleman.

Team No. 2—Fred Winter, I. H. Goodman.

Team No. 3—John Eckhart, Joe Russell, J. H. Kehr, Howard Gehres.

Team No. 4—F. R. Buchman, J. F. Gemperline, John Flood, L. P. Lemon.

Team No. 5—T. D. Smith, Vallee Harold, F. W. Moulton.

Team No. 6—Edward Carlyle, Fred R. Thomas, G. E. Carlyle.

Team No. 7—T. A. Schramm, Arthur DeVoss, C. W. Crawford, O. E. Rickey, C. M. Howland.

Team No. 8—L. P. Haldeman, Floyd Fuller.

AL ROUDETY ACCIDENTALLY SHOOTS SELF IN ARM WHILE KILLING HOGS

While killing hogs on his farm near Wheelersburg Tuesday, Al Roudety, Second and Sinton streets, accidentally shot himself through the left forearm, the bullet of a revolver tearing through the arm and coming out on the opposite side. Luckily the bullet did not strike a bone. Mr. Roudety had killed one hog and was in the act of killing another when the accident occurred.

The wound gave the injured man a great deal of pain but he was reported as resting easier this morning. Dr. O. C. Andre of Wheelersbur rendered first aid.

Mr. Roudety owns a farm on the Hayport Road. He was for years a valued employe of the Selby Shoe company and his friends will be pleased to learn that he was not seriously wounded. He is nowat home in this city and is being cared for by Dr. T. G. McCormick.

CHARITY BALL TONIGHT

The Charity Ball will be held in four city dance halls tonight with indications of one of the best and largest crowds in years, present.

Over 2,000 tickets to the ball have been sold and all of them are expected to be in attendance and go from one hall to the other.

Four of the city's best orchestras will furnish the music for the dance, the entire proceeds of which will be given over to the furnishing of Christmas cheer to the worthy poor of the city.

At the Auditorium the regular orchestra will furnish the music, which is also the case at Baesman's hall. Spitzer's and Journey's orchestras will furnish the music at the Elks' Club and at the Ben-Hur hall, respectively.

The distribution committee is at work upon the distribution of the baskets and if any one knows of any worthy family in need, they are requested to call the Chamber of Commerce, giving the name and address of the person, which will be handed to the Elks' distribution committee, which will look after all details of filling the Xmas baskets.

There will be dancing at all four halls from 8:30 until 12:30.

PROMINENT PYTHIANS WILL BE HERE FOR BIG DISTRICT RALLY TONIGHT

On this, Wednesday, evening, December 15th, Magnolia Lodge No. 115, Knights of Pythias, will have the pleasure of entertaining the 10th District meeting of the Knights of Pythias for the State of Ohio.

This meeting will call together all the most prominent Pythians of the State, several of the Grand Lodge officers will attend and it is fortunate that this district will have the Grand Chancellor, Fred E. Brumi and that Grand Old Man of Pythianism, "Uncle Bill Beatty," Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, in charge of the meeting.

Scioto, Pike, Lawrence, Jackson, Adams and Ross county will be well represented and a large attendance is expected. One of those Good Old Pythian Lunches will be served, and any Pythian missing this meeting will have something to regret.

Every Pythian who can, is urged to attend, for this will be something for all.

Judge A. C. Williams of Columbus and Past Grand Chancellor Dr. E. W. Tidd and Grand Lodge Trustee, George L. Gulker are some other Grand Lodge officers in attendance.

LOSES $101; POLICE CHIEF FINDS IT

Through the efforts of Chief Joe Distel, Harley Vogler, collector for The Steinkamp Furniture company, Tuesday night recovered a pocketbook containing $101, which he lost in the vicinity of Fifth and Broadway streets during the day.

Vogler appealed to the police on discovering his loss and following a tip that a man was seen to pick up the purse led the chief to the home of Link. Stamper, a brickworker, living at 1004 Harrisonville avenue, New Boston, who on being questioned told of finding the money which he readily turned over to the officer.

Supt. Hawk Says M. E. District Is Flourishing

District M. E. Superintendent J. B. Hawk has returned from a tour throughout adjacent counties in which he conducted numerous administrative meetings with church officials and in an interview gave out the following account of his trip:

"I have just returned from nine days administrative work in Lawrence, Gallia and Jackson counties, driving throughout the territory in my trusty "Queen Elizabeth." Some of the most encouraging meetings during my four years on the district were held. I conducted from three to six meetings each day of the trip and found many churches in the midst of encouraging revival campaigns which have resulted in the conversion of several scores of people and the addition to the church of practically as many candidates. One pastor received 55 into church in a small rural industrial community. Several churches, parsonages and parish houses are under construction and live-wire church programs are being conducted by the pastors of the district, including in the program not only the spiritual interests of the congregations, but the interest of the entire life of the communities where the pastors are at work. Many of the smaller churches are conducting community lecture courses, training classes for local leadership and religious education, welfare work, sometimes in co-operation with other agencies often independent where other agencies do not exist or are not functioning."

"I find pastors giving much attention to community health, speaking in high schools and in country schools on the subject and aiding in the dissemination of intelligence on sanitation in the home and in the community. Some of the pastors have been instrumental in breaking up gambling rings in rural neighborhoods and bringing the ring leaders into active co-operation in creating local sentiment against such practices."

"The activities of pastors in these lines of church endeavor have been reflected in the increase of pastors salaries by quarterly conferences. These increases range from about $200 a year up to $700. One circuit of four appointments, which paid $900 two years ago, paid $1800 last year and has agreed to pay $2400 this year. Many salaries were increased $200 and $300."

"Scioto County is not behind in many of these things. The pastors are taking their places as leaders of community life, and the people are showing their appreciation by bringing salaries to an adequate living support. One circuit which paid less than $500 two years ago, will pay the pastor this year a salary of $1400."

"The little Minford church, which now has a live pastor, after a year without a pastor, reported to me last night that they had secured pledges amounting to about $700 for the year and the subscriptions are paid up in full to date since the 1st of September, barring less than $50. The two other churches on the circuit will bring the salary up to a living support."

FATHER SAVES CHILDREN FROM BEING BURNED TO DEATH

Mary Agnes, little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Hanna, who live on Sixth street, near Chillicothe, was painfully burned this morning and had a close call from meeting death in tragic form, when her clothes caught fire from a gas stove.

Dr. Hanna, who was near the child, succeeded in putting out the flames, but not until all of the outer clothing of his child had been burned off.

In smothering the flames both of his hands were badly burned, and Dr. Hanna will not be able to use them for possibly a week.

Two Fires Last Night

Fire of unknown origin Tuesday afternoon shortly after five o'clock almost completely destroyed a two-story frame alley house at the rear of 1520 Findlay street which was owned and occupied by Mrs. Barbara Seal, an aged widow.

Mrs. Seal was visiting with neighbors at the time and when the fire was discovered the building was a mass of flames. Two fire companies responded to an alarm but the blaze had gained such headway that the efforts of the firemen were useless. The fire entailed a loss of $1,000 on the building and contents with $400 insurance. Mrs. Seal saved only a small portion of her household goods.

Companies from two fire stations were called to the Proctor addition Scioto Trail, Tuesday night to combat a grass fire which is supposed to have started from sparks from a passing locomotive.

Fanned by a stiff breeze the fire spread rapidly and for a time threatened the plant of the Hoer Engine company and a number of homes in the vicinity, including several of the new homes under construction by The Portsmouth Home Building Co.

No damage resulted although the fire laddies had a strenuous fight for a time to prevent the flames communicating to nearby buildings.

Hazelbeck will insure you.

Empire Grange Elects

Officers were re-elected at the closing session of Empire Grange Farmers' Institute Tuesday afternoon. They are: President, Fred Moats; Vice-President, Otto Schaefer; Secretary-Treasurer, E. B. Lange; Lady Correspondent, Miss Esther Oakes; Executive Committee, Jacob Hammerstein, Clifford Knapp and Oscar Oakes. The executive committee is a new one.

The closing session was featured by instructive talks given by Mrs. Ida A. Durbin and E. A. Flemming, state Institute lecturers. The members presented voted to hold another Institute next year the attendance this year being larger han ever before.

Meet me at Nye's fountain. tf

OBITUARY

Francis Kasee

Death about 9 o'clock Tuesday night claimed Francis Kasee, the final summons coming at the home of his brother, Charles C. Kasee, 1407 Harrisonville avenue, New Boston. He had been ill several years, but only been seriously for six weeks. Death was caused by Bright's disease and tuberculosis.

Mr. Kasee was a native of Scioto county, being born at Lombardsville, on the West Side. He was about forty years of age. During the last few years he worked as bricklayer for Contractors S. Monroe and Sons.

Surviving are his father, Henry Kasee, and his brother, Charles Kasee, the father making his home with his son.

Funeral services will be held Thursday with burial probably on the West Side.

Operated Upon

Two operations were performed at the Gay street dispensary Tuesday morning.

Harry Rickey was operated upon for trachoma and adenolds and Nellie McAllister for trachoma. Both children are from Munn's Run.

HOME IS ROBBED

Thieves last night entered the home of Charles Easterday of Sixth street, Ironton and got away with considerable loot. Mr. Easterday is well known in Portsmouth.

Taylor Is Acquitted

Pete Taylor, 20, Scioto ville negro, was acquitted of a charge of disorderly conduct in Municipal court Tuesday, Judge Small dismissing the complaint after hearing from both sides.

Mrs. Alice Walls, also colored, of 1214 Fourteenth street, testified that Taylor grabbed her on the street near her home Sunday night as she was on her way to church. The accused denied the charge and produced evidence tending to prove an alibi and claiming that he was elsewhere at the time and could not possibly have been the alleged culprit. He was represented by Attorney E. G. Millar.

FALLS DOWN SHAFT, BACK IS BROKEN

William Matthey, carpenter, suffered a broken back when he plunged down the elevator shaft in the Cloran building, in Ironton, Tuesday. He was taken to the Deaconess Hospital in that city.

Elbert C. McCoy, 1413 Lincoln street, is ill at his home.

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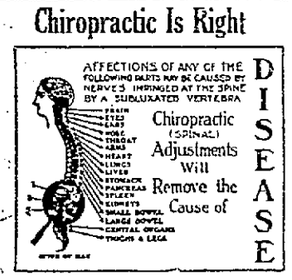

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Gordon Is Exonerated On Reckless Driving Charge

Abe Gordon, vice president of The D. Labold company, who figured in an automobile accident at Ninth and Waller streets, Tuesday morning was later exonerated of a charge of reckless driving in Municipal court, Judge Small, dismissing the complaint because of lack of evidence to support the charge.

Gordon told the court that he swerved his machine into the curbing and awning posts in front of the Antis Bros. grocery store to avoid a collision with the car driven by the complaining witness, John Montavon, who was traveling north on Waller street. The Montavon machine was side swiped and slightly damaged, while Gordon's car was damaged to the extent of about $75.

RUN OVER FIRE HOSE; ARE FINED

Brady Patton and J. S. Gilmore, both of New Boston, were convicted in municipal court Tuesday afternoon of disorderly conduct and were fined $15 and costs by Judge Small.

The men got in some trouble with a fireman on Damarin Hill Monday by running over a fire hose and the evidence offered was sufficient to convict the men.

Russell Lutz, a third occupant of the machine, was dismissed.

Has Ear Trouble; Will Submit To Operation

Attorney Ralph Ary expects to leave Thursday for Columbus where he will enter a hospital to undergo an operation for ear trouble from which he has been suffering for sometime.

Mr. Ary is hopeful that the operation will restore his hearing which has been impaired for a long time and has greatly interfered with his work, especially in the trial of cases in court. He expects to return here and resume his practice as soon as he has recovered. While he is under treatment Mrs. Ary will visit with relatives at Akron and Cleveland.

Schwoebel's Fine Suspended

Judge Small Tuesday suspended the $100 fine assessed Monday in Municipal court in the case of Harold Schwoebel, Hilltop young man, who admitted guilt to having illicit liquor in his posessios.

The court after reflecting on the case decided that Schwoebel was a victim of circumstances as the only liquor found in his posession when taken into custody was a small vial partly filled. In suspending the fine the court admonished the defendant about keeping bad company in the future.

Wiley Draws $500 Fine

In municipal court Tuesday afternoon W. S. Wiley of 1027 Seventh street changed his plea of not guilty on a charge of manufacturing whiskey and was fined $500 by Judge Small. On Monday he refused to answer some questions and was sent to jail on a contempt charge.

GLEE CLUB TO MAKE FIRST APPEARANCE

All Sciotoville is looking forward to Friday and Saturday evenings, when the S. H. S. Girls' Glee Club make their first appearance of the school year in the Sciotoville High School Auditorium.

The entertainment consists of a Japanese Operetta in two acts, entitled "The Feast of the Little Lantern" and is a playlet full of pep from the rise of the curtain to the end. During the play several special features are introduced and these, interwoven with the Oriental music common in Japan, promise to give those present a rare treat.

The Musicale is under the direction of Miss Doris Moore, supervisor of music. Her untiring efforts to put forth an unusually good number cannot help but meet with the big success predicted. This is Miss Moore's first year as supervisor of music in the Sciotoville schools.

Special costumes have been designed for the Glee Club and also special scenery and everything is in readiness.

BIG DEMAND FOR RESERVATIONS

Are you figuring on spending the holidays out of the city?

If you are, you had better make your reservations at once. Local railway offices report a heavy demand for reservations. One man made application for a lower berth to Albany, N. Y., out of Columbus, Tuesday, and was informed that all berths had been engaged up to December 22.

Purchasing Methods And Financial Conditions Are Blamed For Low Tobacco Prices

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 15.—Purchasing methods of large buyers as well as financial conditions due to unfavorable foreign exchange rates and contraction of domestic credits are held responsible for low tobacco prices in a special report sent to congress by the federal trade commission. It contained the results of the commission's investigation of the industry as directed by congress and the following recommendations. Establishment by the department of agriculture, under the warehouse act, of a federal system of grading leaf tobacco; revival in permanent form of expired provisions (1916) relating to the use of common agencies in the purchase of leaf tobacco; specific prohibition of leaf tobacco purchases "through agencies not disclosed to the trade."

The investigation was prompted by complaints received by members of congress, particularly from growers in Kentucky, Tennessee and Ohio at the low prices paid for leaf tobacco in 1920.

It was alleged that buyers for big companies would not bid against each other, but would "rotate" in buying and the commission was directed to investigate for the purpose of determining to what extent, if any, the anti-trust laws and the dissolution decree in the American Tobacco Company cases handed down by the supreme court in 1911 were being violated.

Selby Foremen Hold Meeting

Five new members were admitted at the regular meeting of the Selby Superintendents' and Foremen's Association meeting Monday evening.

The meeting started at 4:30 with a supper and then followed the business meeting and short program of music and talks. The new members initiated were Miss Marian Hiester, Miss Ida Frick, J. B. Wiles, Ed. Petry and B. Allen. Special vocal numbers were given by Miss Hazel Grimm and Miss Bertha Staiger.

Talks were made by Roger Selby and Charles Hauck, both men talking on the "Economics of Shoe Manufacture." This month's meeting proved to be one of the most interesting of recent months.

M. D. Hibbs Is Grange Leader

M. D. Hibbs heads the Harden Grange No. 2291 for next year. At the annual election of officers held recently the following were chosen: Master, M. D. Hibbs; Overseer, Orva Thompson; Lecturer, C. M. Blackburn; Secretary, Mary Newman; Treasurer, Reed Smith; Steward, Oris E. Newman; Assistant Steward, Cloise Thompson; Lady Assistant Steward, Miss Gladys Newman; Chaplain, Elmer Foster; Gate Keeper, Will White; Cerus, Mrs. Maggie Thompson; Pomona, Cathel Thompson; Flora, Mrs. Mary Mustard; Business Agent, Cloise Thompson.

Row Aired In Police Court

A row between C. J. Cooper and his wife, May Cooper, on one side, and Henry Sapp on the other, was aired in Municipal court Tuesday and resulted in Judge Small dismissing the trio.

The evidence disclosed that Sapp, who is conducting the restaurant at the Cooper House, 920 Waller street, and his landlords became involved in a dispute Monday night, which led Mrs. Cooper to take possession of some silverware which she claimed she had loaned to Sapp for use in the restaurant. The quarrel was renewed Tuesday when an altercation arose because the Coopers objected to the electric lights burning and turned off the current.

Officer Schroeder was appealed to and he ordered the trio into court to settle their their difficulty.

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George Prince, N. & W. engineer, who was injured Sunday morning when struck by an automobile as he was crossing Ninth and Waller streets, is getting along nicely. He was removed from Hempstead hospital to his home, 1417 Center street, in Lynn's ambulance Monday afternoon.

In Columbus

Attorney Henry T. Bannon spent Tuesday in Columbus on business.

LYRIC

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Stockham Case Again

The case of May P. Stockham, 1631 Grant street, against Russell Stockham, vice president of The Stockham Company, will be given another whirl before Judge Thomas in common pleas court Monday morning on an application made by the plaintiff to set aside the last Journal entry on the ground that the entry is not in compliance with the orders of the court. The plaintiff also gives notice through Attorney A. Z. Blair that she will make application at the same time that she be permitted to have the society and custody of her two children during a part of the time.

Wants Order Modified

Oscar Monrad, of The Monrad Engineering Company, has given notice through his attorneys, Blair and Blair, that he will present an application to Judge Thomas in common pleas court next Monday for the modification of a former order of the court as to the custody of Ellen and Burr Monrad, made in the divorce and alimony suit recently filed by his wife, Agnes Monrad.

Files Cross Petition

For cross petition and answer to the divorce and alimony suit of Josephine Nelson, 313 Mabert avenue, Fred Nelson, New Boston steel worker, denies her charges and accuses her of cruelty and infidelity, declaring that she has been guilty of misconduct with other men.

Nelson alleges through Attorneys Blair and Blair, that she called him vulgar and indecent names and claims that she has on various occasions showered him with different articles of household furniture and kitchen utensils. He asks that he may be given the divorce and that she be restrained from disposing of their household furniture and from interfering with him in any manner.

Wants Divorce From Soldier

A divorce is sought by Cora Ray, 1631 Chillicothe street, in an action filed in common pleas court Wednesday against Henry Ray, formerly of this city, now in military service stationed at Camp Sherman.

She says they were married July 1, 1919, and through Attorney T. C. Beatty the plaintiff alleges neglect, declaring that Ray abandoned her and refuses to treat her as his wife. She also asks that she be given his interest in their home properly at 1631 Chillicothe street, as alimony.

Pay Your Taxes

The usual time limit for the payment of taxes is up next Monday but the books will not be closed until Jan. 10. Treasurer Gilbert F. Dodds stated Wednesday in announcing an extension of time to give all patrons to pay up and escape the added penalty. In the meantime the office will be kept open on Saturday afternoon for the convenience of patrons.

Property Sold

At an administrator's sale of the estate of Mary McGowan recently, James E. Hannah bought a house and lot on Twelfth street and a lot in Castle Hill addition and Edward Cunningham bought a house and lot on Market street. The property was sold through Attorney T. C. Beatty acting for the administrator, Martin J. Edwards.

Neglects Children; Jailed

James Rideout, Sciotoville man, was convicted of a charge of neglecting his two minor daughters, in probate court Tuesday and Judge Gilliland ordered him to pay the costs of prosecution besides serving five days in jail.

At Washington

Attorney B. F. Kimble left Wednesday afternoon for Washington, D. C. on legal business. He expects to be absent several days.

Taken To Pen

Noah Holt, who was recently sentenced to an indeterminate term in the penitentiary by Judge Thomas on his plea of guilty of a charge of stealing an automobile, was taken to the Columbus prison Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Harry Dunham.

Taken To Lancaster

Deputy Sheriff Elza Canter has returned from Lancaster where he delivered Lowell Hurst, Wait's Station boy, to the authorities at the Boys' Industrial school. The lad was ordered committed to the institution from the Juvenile court following his conviction recently of a charge of delinquency.

Dog Tags On Sale

Auditor Roy Coburn his placed on sale 1921 dog license tags, having received a supply of the new tags Tuesday for distribution. Dog owners may secure the new licenses on application at the auditor's office and payment of the fee.

Sues For Damages

Alice Thompson, of Findlay street, is demanding $10,000 damages from Drs. Knechtly and Knechtly, chiropractors, with offices in the First National Bank building, for alleged malpractice, in an action instituted in Common Pleas court Wednesday. She alleges that while being treated a bone in the region of her neck was broken, from which she has suffered a partial paralysis of the entire left side, she claims.

Marriage Licenses

Taylor C. Bridges, 21, farmer, Mt. Sterling, Ky., and Goldie V. Gregory, 16, Otway. Rev. William Lawhorn.

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SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

Mrs. Ollie Neff and son Chester, of Lucasville, are visiting relatives here.

Final preparations are being made for the annual Christmas sale and supper which is to be given tomorrow (Thursday) evening by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church in the church basement. The following delectable menu will be served: Baked beans, escalloped potatoes, Waldorf salad, sandwiches, bread, butter, jelly, coffee, pie a la mode and ice cream. Price 50 cents.

Oscar Corlell of Broadway street is slowly recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Section Two of the Christian church will meet Friday afternoon in the church basement.

Section One of the Christian church will meet all day Friday in the basement of the church.

Class Number Five of the Christian church was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edgar Burkhardt of Rhodes avenue. New Boston. A very interesting business session was held, after which a social hour was enjoyed, concluded with the serving of refreshments by the hostess. Those present were Mrs. William Newman, Mrs. Charles Secrest, Mrs. Nicholas Rider, Miss Margaret Cunningham, Mrs. Charles Brock of Portsmouth, Miss Lilly Rowley, Mrs. E. F. Gilliland and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Manival Morgan of Russell, Ky., have returned home after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ella Nickel, of Logan avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kinker had as guests Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinker, of Minford.

Miss Mabel Nichols of Russell, Ky., is here for a visit with home folks.

Mrs. James Lewis and children of Ironton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Myers of Tonewanda.

Mary Stevens, who attends school in Columbus, will arrive home Friday for a two weeks' vacation with home folks.

Erma, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Coleman, of Logan avenue, is recovering from an attack of diphtheria.

The Royal Neighbors will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the I. O. O. F. hall on Main street.

Mrs. J. P. Turner of Main street recently entertained a few friends for the pleasure of Mrs. A. B. Churchill, of Springfield, who has been her guest for the past ten days.

The "Feast of the Little Lanterns," a Japanese operetta in two acts, will be given Friday and Saturday evenings in the high school auditorium by the High School Glee Club. This musicale is given under the direction of Miss Doris Moore, and no doubt will prove very successful. Special costumes have been designed for those taking part.

WHEELERSBURG

The first number of the Lecture Course given by the United Lyceum Bureau, under the auspices of the M. E. church, will be given Monday evening, Dec. 20, at 7 o'clock, in the high school auditorium. This number is given by Bishop William F. Anderson, noted lecturer and entertainer. On Tuesday evening, Dec. 21, the second number, "The Liberty Belles," will be given. This is a musical number and is given by three talented ladies. Everyone is invited to attend, the price of admission being very reasonable.

The Wheelersburg Social Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Koch. At this time the annual passing party will be held.

Mrs. John Henning was among the guests yesterday at the home of Mrs. John Sowers of Portsmouth.

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Combination White and Brown Set $7.50
Im. Red Fox Set, broad collar $1.00
Kit Coney Set, ball muff, cape collar $10.98
Luxurious Cat Lynx Set $12.50
Large Grey Moufflon Set $16.50

TOWELS, BEDSPREADS

Good size fancy Bath Towel, colored border ... 59c
Large size Face Towels 25c
Extra size Turkish Bath Towels, pink, blue or orange border $1.00
Scarf and Pin Cushion Set, embroidered in Colors in Xmas box $2.00
Large size Bed Spread $1.98
Large size Bed Spread, scalloped edge, cut corners $3.98
Beautiful Bed Spreads and Bed Sets at ..... $7.50, $8.50 and $11.50

SILK PETTICOATS

Taffeta and Silk Jersey Petticoats in all wanted shades, regular $5.98 values special .. $4.98
Our regular $10.00 Silk Jersey Petticoats in all shades $8.50

THE ATLAS CO.
406 Chillicothe St.

Gloves For Gifts

A splendid selection of silk, fabric and kid gloves, boxed appropriately for gifts.
Hall's or Mohawk Silk Gloves, black with white stitching $1.00
Mohawk Valoisette Gauntlet Gloves in all shades $1.25
Double Silk Globes, special $2.39
Good Kid Gloves in black, grey and brown $3.00

Supt. Hawk Says M. E. District Is Flourishing

District M. E. Superintendent J. B. Hawk has returned from a tour throughout adjacent counties in which he conducted numerous administrative meetings with church officials and in an interview gave out the following account of his trip:

"I have just returned from nine days administrative work in Lawrence, Gallia and Jackson counties, driving throughout the territory in my trusty "Queen Elizabeth." Some of the most encouraging meetings during my four years on the district were held. I conducted from three to six meetings each day of the trip and found many churches in the midst of encouraging revival campaigns which have resulted in the conversion of several scores of people and the addition to the church of practically as many candidates. One pastor received 55 into church in a small rural industrial community. Several churches, parsonages and parish houses are under construction and live-wire church programs are being conducted by the pastors of the district, including in the program not only the spiritual interests of the congregations, but the interest of the entire life of the communities where the pastors are at work. Many of the smaller churches are conducting community lecture courses, training classes for local leadership and religious education, welfare work, sometimes in co-operation with other agencies often independent where other agencies do not exist or are not functioning."

"I find pastors giving much attention to community health, speaking in high schools and in country schools on the subject and aiding in the dissemination of intelligence on sanitation in the home and in the community. Some of the pastors have been instrumental in breaking up gambling rings in rural neighborhoods and bringing the ring leaders into active co-operation in creating local sentiment against such practices."

"The activities of pastors in these lines of church endeavor have been reflected in the increase of pastors salaries by quarterly conferences. These increases range from about $200 a year up to $700. One circuit of four appointments, which paid $900 two years ago, paid $1800 last year and has agreed to pay $2400 this year. Many salaries were increased $200 and $200."

"Scioto County is not behind in many of these things. The pastors are taking their places as leaders of community life, and the people are showing their appreciation by bringing salaries to an adequate living support. One circuit which paid less than $700 two years ago, will pay the pastor this year a salary of $1400."

"The little Minford church, which now has a live pastor, after a year without a pastor, reported to me last night that they had secured pledges amounting to about $700 for the year and the subscriptions are paid up in full to date since the 1st of September, barring less than $50. The two other churches on the circuit will bring the salary up to a living support."

WANTED—Good white corn in large or small quantities delivered to our elevator. T. G. Jewett & Son.
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BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

Along with the satisfaction of knowing you are getting specialized effort you also know the cost is no more than elsewhere.

537 Gallia Street Call 162 For Appointment

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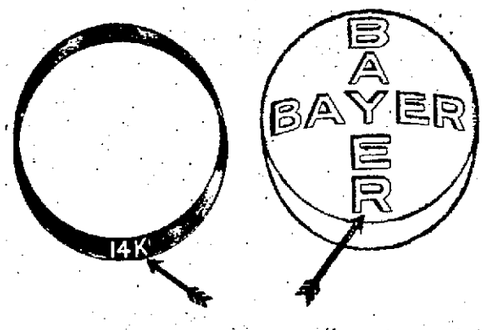
"ASPIRIN"

WARNING! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for 20 years and proved safe by millions. Name "Bayer" has same meaning as 14 Karat on gold.



SAFETY FIRST! Accept only an "unbroken package" of genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," which contains proper directions for Headache, Earache, Toothache, Neuralgia, Colds, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Lumbago, and for pain generally. Strictly American

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Larger packages.
Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid

Whitman Is Out On Bond

When arraigned in municipal court Tuesday afternoon on a charge of cutting with intent to kill Clyde Whitman of Front street had his hearing continued till Saturday. He furnished $500 bond and was released. Whitman is charged with stabbing John Davis of Twelfth street following a row they had on Sixth street last night.

ARE PLENTIFUL

Christmas trees are plentiful these days and many are being offered for sale. They are selling all the way from 25 cents to $1.00, but not many at the latter price.

Elbert C. McCoy, 1413 Lincoln street, is ill at his home.

M. D. Hibbs Is Grange Leader

SANTAL CAPSULES MIDY
CATARRH of the BLADDER relieved in 24 HOURS
Each Capsule bears the name MIDY
Beware of counterfeits

M. D. Hibbs heads the Harden Grange No. 2291 for next year. At the annual election of officers held recently the following were chosen: Master, M. D. Hibbs; Overseer, Orva Thompson; Lecturer, C. M. Blackburn; Secretary, Mary Newman; Treasurer, Reed Smith; Steward, Oris E. Newman; Assistant Steward, Close Thompson; Lady Assistant Steward, Miss Gladys Newman; Chaplain, Elmer Foster; Gate Keeper, Will White; Cerus, Mrs. Maggie Thompson; Pomona, Gather Thompson; Flora, Mrs. Mary Mustard; Business Agent, Close Thompson.

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Our Christmas "Movie"

A Long Christmas List and Not Enough Money

See How Mrs. Jones Will Save for Her Xmas Giving.

(REEL ONE)

Introducing Mrs. Jones!

She is bothered by the problem we all have encountered at Christmas time—many gifts to buy and not enough money for them all.

There is an easy way for Mrs. Jones to SAVE enough money for her Christmas giving, and the thousands of people who were in our 1920 Christmas Club just closed, have learned how to do it.

JOIN OUR CHRISTMAS CLUB AT ONCE, then keep up the small, weekly payments and next December you get our CHECK for $12.50 to $250.00.

Watch the papers to see how Mrs. Jones will buy her gifts next year—or better yet, come here at once and let us explain.

Club will be open till January 8.
Join Now to avoid the rush of the closing days!

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Christmas Sale at

The Busy Corner Chillicothe Corner Eighth Street

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Values listed below are greater than could be offered in January. Shop Here and Save.

Xmas Sale of Georgette Blouses at $5

Give her a beautiful Georgette Waist or Over Blouse and you will be sure to please Her. They come in every color and style and the values were to $7.95. Christmas Sale Price $5
One thousand blouses to select from.

A January Sale In December

A clearance of White Voiles, Organdies, fancy and odds and ends of Waists — values were $2.50 to $3.98. One whole table full — make your selection at Your choice

$1.98

Extra fine quality crepe de chine waists, mostly tailored models — Waists that formerly sold to $7.95. Our December Sale Price

$4.95

Beautiful satin stripe silk waists — were priced at $8.50. Our December Sale Price

$5.00

They are heavy washable silks.

Silk Hosiery

For holiday selling. Pure thread silk stockings, every pair perfect, lisle feet and tops; a regular $2.50 stocking. Our Christmas sale price the pair

$1.85

Black and colors

$14.95

We are now offering every dress in our stock without reserve —no matter what the former price was— such as all wool serges, tricotines, velveteens, etc. Many of these dresses sold as high as $39.95—and as we don't carry them over —we give you your choice

$14.95

SUITS ARE NOW ON SALE AT 1-2 PRICE

Beautiful Dress Skirts are now on sale at 25 per cent to 50 per cent off.

Our entire stock of fine Kid Gloves—values to $5.00—On sale at the pair $3.50.

$24.95

Portsmouth's Greatest Coat Sale.

All at the one price. Silk lined, all wool velour coats, plain or fur trimmed, short silk plush coats, fur collars, plain or fur collars and fur collars. Coats that were made to retail at from $32.50 to $47.50. Our sale price— while they last

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KID GLOVES

$1.45

Black, Tan, White, sizes 6 to 7, values to $2.50. On Sale $1.45

Beautiful Silk Jersey Petticoats in navy—all jersey silk flounce — beautiful black Silk Petticoats of finest quality taffeta—regular or extra sizes. Petticoats worth $8.95. On sale while they last at $5

$1.00 Brassieres or Confiners on sale at 69c	Odds and ends of fancy Silk Hosiery; values to $3.00. On sale at 75c Every sale final.	Muslin Gowns priced to $2.98 are now on sale at your choice $1.69	Outing Gowns priced at $2.50 are now on sale at $1.25	Flannelette dressing sacques, values to $2.50, are now on sale at $1.00	Children's $1.00 white Silk Lisle Hose on sale at 3 pairs $1.00

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By Sir Arthur Conan Doyle

"I HAVE all the documents before me, and, in this article, I will try to show any man capable of adapting his mind to fresh facts that the existence of discarnate spirits is not only no longer a fair subject for debate, but that up to a certain point it has been definitely settled."

Arthur Doyle.

One of the three most startling photographs of materialized spirits ever published—all in
HEARSTS for JANUARY

How to Advertise for Enemies
Walt Mason
"The vandals will be branding advertisements on wild animals in parks and forest reserves. Could anything be more humiliating than to come upon a grizzly bear branded with Bulgar's pills for ingrowing nails? Freak advertisers have no respect for beauties of nature or rights of man."
In HEARST'S for JANUARY

Is Cuba West of Pittsburgh?
Science of the Month
Do Northerners come from the South of sunny Italy? Why does a red rose blush? Did the world originate in gases from the sun? Do autos reduce the cost of living? Poison in our daily bread—is one man's food another's poison? And 9 other progressive articles in current science.
In HEARST'S for JANUARY

The Communist and the Cow
By Gilbert K. Chesterton
Paul Goes to Greendale
By Virginia Terhune Van de Water
Children of the Whirlwind
By Leroy Scott
Star Fish and Sea Lavendar
By E. M. Benson
The Master of Man
By Hall Caine

Gold from the Golden Rule
By B. C. Forbes
The Fisherman's Christmas
By Johan Bojer
Three Daughters of Cadriano
By W. L. George
The Suicide of States
By Guglielmo Ferrero
And Ten Other Great Features
In HEARST'S for JANUARY

HEARST'S is a magazine for every man and woman who appreciates the best in popular art and literature—who prefers things bright without being trivial and really worth while without being dull. If you are ever bored by other magazines—try Hearst's; if you like good magazines and want a still better one, ask your newsdealer for the new Hearst's.

JANUARY ISSUE Hearst's JUST OUT

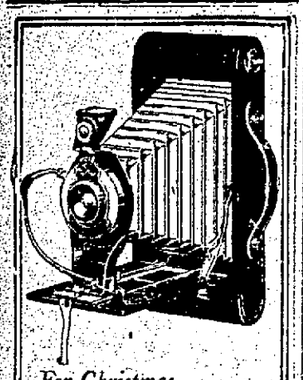
A Magazine with a Mission

WALTER H. GABLEMAN, Distributor

Operated Upon

Two operations were performed at the Gay street dispensary Tuesday morning.

Harry Rickey was operated upon for trachoma and adenoids and Nellie McAllister for trachoma. Both children are from Munn's Run.



For Christmas

The 3A Autographic BROWNIE

Price, $17.02

The 3A Brownie makes good pictures in a good size—3¼ x 5½ inches—proportions so popular that they have established themselves as standard.

Simple to work—is the 3A Brownie—and the fact that its ball bearing shutter speeded to 1/25, 1/50 and 1/100 of a second is fitted with Kodak Autotime Scale as a guide to exposure, makes its successful operation all the easier.

There are three other Autographic Brownies—the Nos. 2 and 2A and the 2C. We have all of them here ready to show you.

Other Brownies, $2.86 up
Kodaks, $9.49 up

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The Rexall Store
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Effective September 26th 1920

EAST BOUND
No. 8 New York Train Daily ..... 6:00 A. M.
No. 16 Daily ..... 11:55 A. M.
No. 22 Daily ..... 7:50 P. M.
No. 4 Daily ..... 12:01 A. M.

WEST BOUND
No. 3 Daily ..... 3:55 A. M.
No. 23 Daily ..... 6:55 A. M.
No. 15 Daily ..... 3:15 P. M.
No. 29 Daily Does Not Run West of Portsmouth ..... 8:45 P. M.

WEST BOUND
No. 22 Daily ..... 4:10 A. M.
No. 35 Daily except Sunday.... 7:05 A. M.
No. 27 Daily ..... 2:10 P. M.
No. 25 Daily ..... 3:20 P. M.

EAST BOUND
ARRIVE PORTSMOUTH
No. 28 Daily ..... 10:20 A. M.
No. 26 ..... 11:05 A. M.
No. 36 Daily, except Sunday .. 0:30 P. M
No. 24 ..... 11:20 P. M.
City Ticket Office, Sixth St., Opp. P. O.

C&O

In Effect October 31, 1920
By Ferry To South Portsmouth

No.	Ferry Leaves	Train Leaves
WESTBOUND		
5 Daily	4:55 A. M.	5:25 A. M.
17 Daily ex. Sun	7:07 A. M.	7:37 A. M.
3 Daily	1:45 P. M.	2:15 P. M
7 Daily	2:13 P. M.	2:43 P. M
1 Daily	10:20 P. M.	10:55 P. M.
EASTBOUND		
8 Daily	11:10 A. M.	11:40 A. M.
2 Daily	2:55 P. M.	3:25 P. M.
16 Daily ex. Sun	3:22 P. M.	3:52 P. M.
106 Daily	10:20 P. M.	10:50 P. M.
4 Daily	11:35 P. M.	12:05 P. M.

*Nos. 1 and 106 carry Pullman passengers only, to Cincinnati, Huntington and Charleston. Tickets and reservations may be had at Consolidated Ticket Office 6th St. opposite Post Office.

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Good Mine Run Coal, 50 per cent. Lump, $7.50 per ton. Ohio Lump $9 per ton. Cinderella West Virginia Lump, $11 per ton.

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524-526-528 SECOND STREET

All The Latest Music All The Time

GLEE CLUB TO MAKE FIRST APPEARANCE

All Sciotoville is looking forward to Friday and Saturday evenings, when the S. H. S. Girls' Glee Club make their first appearance of the school year in the Sciotoville High School Auditorium.

The entertainment consists of a Japanese Operetta in two acts, entitled "The Feast of the Little Lantern" and is a playlet full of pep from the rise of the curtain to the end. During the play several special features are introduced and these, interwoven with the Oriental music common in Japan, promise to give those present a rare treat.

The Musicale is under the direction of Miss Doris Moore, supervisor of music. Her untiring efforts to put forth an unusually good number cannot help but meet with the big success predicted. This is Miss Moore's first year as supervisor of music in the Sciotoville schools.

Special costumes have been designed for the Glee Club and also special scenery and everything is in readiness.

Baby's Croup

Occasions no alarm if you have a bottle of GLESSCO close at hand. Nearly a million bottles sold annually. Contains no opiates. Guaranteed to please. Recommended by physicians. Sold by all druggists, 50 cents.

THE GLESSNER COMPANY
Findlay, Ohio

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The Question?

What to give? What would "he or she" like? Why not make it a pair of comfy felt slippers or a nice pair of dress shoes? Surely they would be appreciated and very practical and useful. If you decide on slippers just remember that our lines are bought direct from the makers and quality considered are just a little the nicest line in the city for the money. Women's, $2 and up to $3.85—Men's $2.20 to $4.25 — children's also.

Frank J. Baker

845 Gallia — The Sleepless Shoeman, Footfitters For Twenty Years — Spats Rubbers

DID YOU EVER FIGURE

That it is not so much what you pay for your clothes as it is who makes 'em that counts in the long run, and we don't charge any more for good clothes. See our elegant line of pure woolens.

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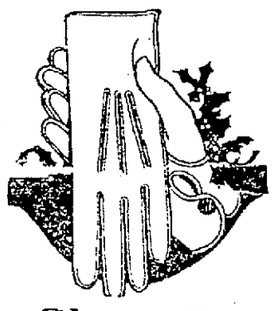

Gloves For Gifts

Gloves for gifts — for a man — are always welcome. In them lies the happy thought that conveys the spirit of Christmas and true regard. By all means give him gloves this year.

We've never been so well prepared as now to meet critical demands for both street and dress wear.

GEO. W. AHREND

Give Music This Christmas

GIVE your family a Columbia Grafonola with Columbia Records for Christmas. Then right at your fireside you will have music by all the famous *exclusive* Columbia artists and organizations.

The Columbia Grafonola's unvarying fidelity of reproduction is due to its Scientifically Correct Acoustic Design; its Straight Tone Arm, which allows the sound waves to develop fully and naturally; and its *exclusive* Tone Leaves, which give you complete and accurate control over tone volume.

Call on any Columbia dealer and ask him for a demonstration of the *exclusive Non Set Automatic Stop* the only stop that needs no setting. See for yourself the beautiful, streamline cabinets of the

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COLUMBIA GRAPHOPHONE COMPANY, New York

Horchow's

Complete stock of records includes all the new hits and the old favorites

SERVICE SUPREME

Six sound-proof, ventilated, sanitary, comfortable booths, where you enjoy privacy and can make your selection at your leisure.

THE BEST RECORDS BY THE BEST ARTISTS—FIRST—COLUMBIA RECORDS

A COMPLETE LINE OF COLUMBIA GRAFONOLAS IN ALL SIZES AND FINISHES.

GET HORCHOW-COLUMBIA SERVICE
RECORDS MAILED FREE-SAFE DELIVERY GUARANTEED

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THE LEWIS FURNITURE COMPANY

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We will be pleased to play any record you desire to hear. Make yourself at home in our cozily furnished sound proof booths.

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Has Ear Trouble; Will Submit To Operation

Attorney Ralph Ary expects to leave Thursday for Columbus where he will enter a hospital to undergo an operation for ear trouble from which he has been suffering for sometime.

Mr. Ary is hopeful that the operation will restore his hearing which has been impaired for a long time and has greatly interfered with his work, especially in the trial of cases in court. He expects to return here and resume his practice as soon as he has recovered. While he is under treatment Mrs. Ary will visit with relatives at Akron and Cleveland.

To Attend Convention

Alan N. Jordan and Mrs. Jordan have gone to Dayton to attend the yearly convention of the Ohio Hotel Association to be held at the Hotel Gibbons in that city Wednesday and Thursday. A lobster supper Wednesday night at the Hotel Gibbons and the banquet at the Miami hotel on Thursday night will be features of the occasion.

Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Jordan will go to Cincinnati.

Elevator Is Here

Work on the new building on Gallia street to be occupied by A. Kline, is progressing rapidly. The elevator has arrived and is now being preced in position. The plate glass has also arrived and will soon be installed. The three big floors have been in the hands of plasterers for the past several days and the building is now assuming the appearance of the finished product. Mr. Kline stated, Tuesday, he was now confident the building would be ready for occupancy by the first of March at the very latest.

Check That Cold Right Away

Dr. King's New Discovery soon breaks a cold and checks a cough

A SUDDEN chill—sneezes—stuffy feeling in the head—and you have the beginning of a hard cold. Get right after it, just as soon as the sniffles start, with Dr. King's New Discovery. For fifty years a standard remedy for colds, coughs and grippe.

You will soon notice a change for the better. Has a convincing, healing taste that the kiddies like. Good for croupy coughs. All druggists, 60c and $1.20 a bottle.

For colds and coughs
Dr. King's New Discovery

Put "Pep" in Your Work

Many a man has been a failure in business, many a woman in her home, because constipation has clogged the whole system, storing up poisons that enervate and depress. Dr. King's Pills act mildly and make bowels act naturally. Same old price, 25 cents.

Prompt! Won't Gripe
Dr. King's Pills

NEAPOLITAN ICE CREAM

We make all kinds of fancy bricks and individual moulds. Ice cream suitable for all occasions, whether it be a large dinner party or a small family affair.

Ask your dealer for Peerless Ice Cream. Made by

The Ice Cream & Bottling Co.

BIG DEMAND FOR RESERVATIONS

Are you figuring on spending the your reservations at once. Local rail-holidays out of the city? way offices report a heavy demand for If you are, you had better make reservations. One man made application for a lower berth to Albany, N. Y., out of Columbus, Tuesday, and was informed that all berths had been engaged up to December 22.

Emerson Records

A record makes a desirable gift. Come in and hear the new records, vocal and instrumental, which include the latest popular pieces. They are almost certain to please.

Our Basement Housefurnishings Section

is overflowing with merchandise desirable for gifts. Novelties of all kinds, salad bowls and cake plates in nicely decorated china, shaving mugs and childrens' decorated mugs, cake trays, nickled fruit bowls, glassware of all kinds, aluminum ware etc. Be sure to walk through this department when you are downtown.

SHAVING SETS

Shaving sets, nickled finish stands with cup mirror and brush. Very special values at

$1.59—$1.98—$2.39—$2.69

HANDKERCHIEFS

Our handkerchiefs were bought very late so we own them at reduced prices and are selling them the same way. Beautifully embroidered handkerchiefs at 7c—10c up to 35c and in gift boxes at

29c—59c—79c—98c

BOXED WRITING PAPER

High grade paper in fancy gift boxes. White finish or blue tinted. Special values

29c—35c—39c—49c—89c

WOMEN'S PURSES

We have an excellent selection of womens strap purses and hand bags. Special values at 59c and 98c and still greater values from ..... $1.19 to $3.29

CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Books of all kinds for very small children and for larger children. Picture books in a wide variety, linen bound books, painting and comic books etc. Also books for older boys and girls. Popular books by popular authors 15c, 29c, 50c

PERFUME IN BOXES

Spencer Perfume company's high grade perfume in fancy boxes. Specially priced at

15c—35c—59c—69c

Christmas Booklets, Gift Cards and Post Cards at Low Prices

Toys, Dolls and Games

The most complete display of popular priced toys, dolls and games in the city. You must be sure to see this display if you have not already done so. We have everything to delight the children and the grown-ups too. Come now while the assortment is complete.

BUY YOUR XMAS CANDY HERE

PEPPER'S Popular Price Store

BUY YOUR XMAS CANDY HERE

Victor Records as Christmas Gifts

What could be more appropriate to give your friends who have a Victrola?

88561 12 inch, $1.75—Cantique de Noel (Adam) French, Enrico Caruso.
87514 10 inch, $1.50—Silent Night, Holy Night, Gluck-Reimers.
74436 12 inch, $1.75—Adeste Fideles (with Male Chorus) Latin, John McCormack.
45145 10 inch, $1.00—Holy Night (Cantique de Noel) (with Lyric Qt.), Lucy Marsh; Silent Night, Holy Night, Trinity Choir.
35394 12 inch, $1.35—Angels from the Realms of Glory, Trinity Choir; Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem, Trinity Choir.
35418 12 inch, $1.35—Night Before Christmas, Recitation, Patten; Gingerbread Boy, Recitation, Faulkner.
35412 12 inch, $1.35—While Shepherds Watched, Victor Oratorio Chorus; It Came Upon the Midnight Clear, Victor Oratorio Chorus.
35324 12 inch, $1.35—In a Clock Store, Victor Orchestra; Hunt in the Black Forest, Victor Orchestra.
18389 10 inch, 85c—Silent Night, Holy Night, Neapolitan Trio; Christmas Hymns, Selection Harp, Francis Lapitino.
17164 10 inch, 85c—Silent Night, Elsie Baker; Hark! The Herald Angels Sing, Trinity Choir.
16996 10 inch, 85c—Adeste Fideles (with Chimes), Trinity Choir; Joy to the World, Trinity Choir
16936 10 inch, 85c—Christmas Morning at Clancey's, Steve Porter; Clancey's Wooden Wedding, Steve Porter.
Santa Claus Gives Away His Toys, Gilbert Girard, $1.35.

CHRISTMAS SPECIAL

Hear Schumann-Heink Sing

Silent Night (Christmas Hymn) $1.75

("Stille Nacht")

The Kay Graham Co. MUSIC SHOP 819 Gallia Street

CHARITY BALL TONIGHT

The Chairty Ball will be held in four city dance halls tonight with indications of one of the best and largest crowds in years, present.

Over 2,000 tickets to the ball have been sold and all of them are expected to be in attendance and go from one hall to the other.

Four of the city's best orchestras will furnish the music for the dance, the entire proceeds of which will be given over to the furnishing of Christmas cheer to the worthy poor of the city.

At the Auditorium the regular orchestra will furnish the music, which is also the case at Baesman's hall. Spitzer's and Journey's orchestras will furnish the music at the Elks' Club and at the Ben Hur hall, respectively.

The distribution committee is at work upon the distribution of the baskets and if any one knows of any worthy family in need, they are requested to call the Chamber of Commerce, giving the name and address of the person, which will be handed to the Elks' distribution committee, which will look after all details of filling the Xmas baskets.

There will be dancing at all four halls from 8:30 until 12:30.

"Gets-It" For Hard or Soft Corns

Satisfaction Guaranteed With This Corn Remover.

Common sense tells anybody that the way to cure a corn is to remove it, cap and root—banish it entirely.

Don't Doctor Your Corns. Let "Gets-It" Remove Them—Painlessly! Quickly!

Not only hard corns and not only soft corns but every kind of corn surrenders to "Gets-It," the national corn remover. It takes weeks or months to grow a corn. It takes just a few seconds to stop its pain with two or three drops of "Gets-It." Quickly it loosens so you can peel it right off without the least twinge or hurt, and it is gone!

"Gets-It," the never failing, guaranteed, money-back corn remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mfd. by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Portsmouth and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by J. F. Davis Drug Co., Fisher & Streich, Jones Pharmacy, Mound Park Pharmacy, Wurster Bros.

Schwoebel's Fine Suspended

Judge Small Tuesday suspended the $100 fine assessed Monday in Municipal court in the case of Harold Schwoebel, Hilltop young man, who admitted guilt to having illicit liquor in his posessios.

The court after reflecting on the case decided that Schwoebel was a victim of circumstances as the only liquor found in his posession when taken into custody was a small vial partly filled. In suspending the fine the court admonished the defendant about keeping bad company in the future.

Wiley Draws $500 Fine

In municipal court Tuesday afternoon W. S. Wiley of 1927 Seventh street changed his plea of not guilty on a charge of manufacturing whiskey and was fined $500 by Judge Small. On Monday he refused to answer some questions and was sent to jail on a contempt charge.

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Whether in scrofula, sores, boils, and eruptions; or as rheumatism with agonizing pains and aches in limbs, joints or muscles; as catarrh with its disagreeable inflammation and discharge; in disturbed digestion, or dragging down debility and tired feeling,—it is corrected by Hood's Sarsaparilla, that most economical and reliable blood remedy and building-up tonic. Thousands use this medicine and praise it for wonderful relief. Made from the most valuable remedies that physicians know, and unparalleled in character, quality, taste and curative power. When a cathartic is needed, use Hood's Pills.

Taylor Is Acquitted

Pete Taylor, 20, Scioto ville negro, was acquitted of a charge of disorderly conduct in Municipal court Tuesday, Judge Small dismissing the complaint after hearing from both sides.

Mrs. Alice Walls, also colored, of 1214 Fourteenth street, testified that Taylor grabbed her on the street near her home Sunday night as she was on her way to church. The accused denied the charge and produced evidence tending to prove an alibi and claiming that he was elsewhere at the time and could not possibly have been the alleged culprit. He was represented by Attorney E. G. Millar.

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NOTICE

All members of Magnolia Lodge No. 115 K. of P. are requested to attend the 10th District Meeting which will be held at Castle Hall, Fourth and Washington Streets, Wednesday evening, December 15th, 1920 at 7:30 P. M. All Knights of Pythias in the City are invited to attend this BIG PYTHIAN RALLY.

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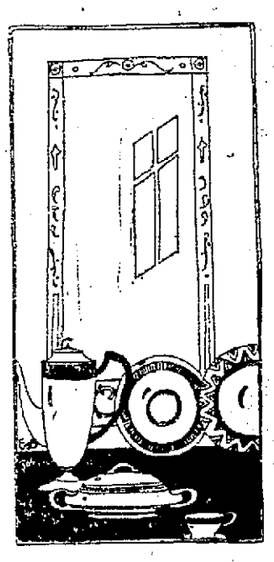

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MISS DOLLY WISE

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise—What would be a suitable wardrobe to take with one on a trip (2 weeks) to New Orleans?
THANK YOU.

Are you going by train, boat or automobile? Also are you going to visit friends or relatives or just on a sight-seeing trip? If you are traveling all the time you would not need as many clothes as you would if you expected to be entertained by friends. If you are sight-seeing don't take anything that you can get along without. A suit or coat, two or three blouses, one or two dresses, a comfortable pair of shoes or low cuts, underwear, toilet articles, and any other clothes that you can conveniently pack in a suitcase. I would not adrise you to take a trunk filled with a lot of unnecessary things that you will not have any use for. The weather is very mild in New Orleans.

Dear Dollie—Would you kindly tell me if there is any premium on silver dollars if there is not, are there likely to be any premiums? They are so scarce around here when we get one we would like to have a premium on it if there is any.
ONE WHO WANTS TO KNOW.

There is no premium on the silver dollar other than its face value. They were scarce during the war but they are beginning to bob up everywhere now.

South Webster, O.—Miss Wise—We read where wages are being reduced, etc. In time won't the high taxes we have to pay be reduced also? Of course provisions and clothing are the last to be reduced. How can we pay high taxes and less wages when we have to also pay so high for food and clothing? Please settle an argument.
LUCILLE.

Clothing and wearing apparel are being reduced right along. Provisions and foodstuffs are also reduced a little. Conditions will get back to normal by and by.

Dear Miss Dolly Wise—Please publish in the paper the recipe for corn, beef and cabbage, the kind that Jiggs likes so well.
THANK YOU.

I got this recipe from Dinty Moore. He says to make your corn beef first and cook it afterwards just like this: Three gallons of water, 6 3-4 pounds salt, one ounce of pearlash, 2 1-2 pounds of sugar, one pint of molasses. This pickle is sufficient for fifty pounds of beef. When salt and sugar is thoroughly dissolved lay in the beef. It will be ready for use in 12 or 14 days (maybe in time for your Christmas dinner), but can remain in the pickle five or six weeks without injury.

All corned beef requires to be boiled slowly. Put on in cold water; allow 25 of 30 minutes for every pound of beef. Let it come slowly to a boil, then allow it to simmer. Cabbage is usually served with corned beef but should not be boiled with it. Parsnips or turnips may be served if preferred.

Dear Miss Wise—I am coming to you for a little advice. I will be twenty-two in January. Have red hair and blue eyes and freckled face. I would like for you to tell me why none of the boys like me. When I see girls younger than me with beaus it makes me feel bad.
G. K.

The color of your hair and eyes haven't anything to do with your lack of friends. Popularity is a question of personality. Some very beautiful girls never attract in numbers. I think however, they are just as happy with a few friends. If you make an effort to meet your friends half way I think you will find they will be more than willing to come the other half.

Dear Dolly—Would you please tell me a remedy to get rid of head lice? My little girl has them in her hair and I don't know what to do to kill them, I have tried and I have tried, but nothing seems to help.
YOUNG MOTHER.

It takes time and patience to remove vermin from the head. Get some larkspur at the drug store and make a strong tea. Then wash the hair thoroughly with the tea and let the hair dry without rinsing. After the hair is thoroughly dry, comb with a fine comb. The next day wash the hair in the customary way. A very small quantity of vaseline applied to the scalp with the finger tips will remove the soreness. A soft brush only should be used when the scalp is tender.

Miss Dolly Wise—Please print a recipe for resilvering mirrors if possible, or, should this class of work be handled by some firm?
J. D. B.

I imagine any furniture stores could resilver your mirror. If not you might do it yourself like this: Select a sheet of tinfoil of required size and pour over it three drams of quicksilver for each square foot of foil. Then rub the foil with buckskin until it becomes brilliant. Lay a sheet of paper over the foil covering it completely, and place upon the paper a slab of marble or block of wood with a flat smooth surface. Allow to stand for three or four hours to "set" and then remove the weight. If the work has been carefully done the foil will adhere to the glass. Usually, however, it is cheaper and more satisfactory to buy a new mirror than to attempt to resilver an old one.

Dear Miss Wise—Could you inform me in tonight's Times where we could rent a Wise Men's costume for a Xmas cantata? If you cannot give this information possibly one of your readers will be able to. Call 1660-J.

I don't know of any place here in the city, but you might write to Mrs. E. J. Baker, 81 South Oakley Avenue, Columbus, Ohio. Phone Hilltop 1656. She has costumes for rent.

Dear Dolly Wise—I am writing you a line to ask you some questions. I am an N. & W. man and I wish you could tell me where I could rent a house with out buildings and a piece of land about 3, 4 or 5 acres or more of good garden or pasture land within reach of the Terminals, where I can get to work every day. Thanking you in advance.

I have this man's name and address.

Miss Dolly Wise—I would like to know why old women and men are getting now a days ashamed of their canes and glasses. I saw a man today lay his cane aside and pulled off his glasses before he approached a crowd.
KENTUCKY BOY READER.

The man was probably wearing far-sighted or walking glasses and did not need them when he stopped walking, or perhaps he took them off to look at something close-up. I don't think he was ashamed of them as most everybody wears glasses nowdays.

SOCIETY

Pink chrysanthemums and gleaming candles made attractive the tables for the Clover Club dinner last evening in the home of Mrs. Walter Smith on Grant street. Miss Edna Streich was the assisting hostess. Dainty corsages of candies were favors marking the places for the guests, who later were ushered into the library where a Christmas tree decorated with sparkling ornaments bore gifts for each one. Among those present were Mesdames Edgar Appel, Mavis Davidson Bridges, Hayden Bush, Watson Goddard, N. B. Griffin, Chris Heer, Chester Lloyd, R. B. Lukemire, Albert Marting, Frank Miller, S. D. Ruggles, William Sellards, Heron Johnson, Misses Vere and Margaret Crawford, Edna Davis, Gladys Evans, Emma Johnson, Leona Lahold, Alice and Anna Padan, Elizabeth and Mary Ricker.

The next meeting will be held January 4, at the home of Mrs. N. B. Griffin, Seventh and Lincoln streets.

A delightful evening was enjoyed by the Research Club Tuesday evening, December 14, at the home of Mrs. Louis Stenbly on Eighteenth street. The program included:

Roll Call—Childhood Dreams for the Future.

Club Study—"Character Analysis"—Miss Mae Sommer.

Piano Solo—Mrs. Leo York.

An exchange of gifts followed the business meeting and the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Harry Mathiot in serving ices, cake and bon-bons. The meeting for January will be held at the home of Mrs. Leo York on Fifth street, with Mrs. Irene O'Brien assisting.

A Christmas party, for which the members of Mrs. J. J. Bardin's class of Bigelow church were guests, was enjoyed last evening in the home of Mrs. Earl Bardin on Fifth street. The class sent to the Chinese sufferers last week $27.00, which went to Mrs. J. J. Bardin's son-in-law, the Rev. George L. Davis at Peking, for distribution.

The next meeting of the class will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Horr on Waller street.

The senior and pastor's choirs of the Second Presbyterian church will meet for rehearsal this evening immediately after prayer service.

The ladies of the Jewish congregation will hold a bake sale Friday in Prichard's garage. The proceeds will be used in the new Temple fund.

Meet me at Nye's fountain. tf

BILLY WHISKERS

By Frances Trego Montgomery

"It isn't the tires as I can see, and nothing's wrong with the sparker, either," said Mr. Treat nervously as he inspected the car to find what made the grating sound. "And there comes the George Peterson, and he'll have a spell if he sees me in difficulty. He is always glad to laugh at one in trouble. Besides, I know he's wanted an auto for a long time, and a chance to laugh at—Mother, come on! Climb in. It's all right. I must have fed the engine too much gasoline. Climb in and we'll be hustling along."

All went well until they they topped the hill and struck a new cinder road when b-b-bu-ur-rr! came the same dismal warning sound.

"Land sakes! Whatever can be the trouble now? I am getting that fidgety that I shan't be able to enjoy anything at the fair when we do get there!" fretted Mrs. Treat.

"I'm pretty certain it is the gear," said her husband, "or else the carburetter."

"Perhaps it is the spark plug," offered Tom.

"Mightn't it be the batteries," suggested Dick with a wise expression in his great blue eyes, and a frown on his face.

"Or may be one of the differentials" added Harry, eager to be of help to his father.

"Well, I am pretty sure it is a judgment on us," responded Mrs. Treat. "I think we had better turn back and get old Browny and the surrey. We'll be sure to get there some time. Now I don't know that we ever shall."

"What did I do?" questioned Mr. Treat as the engine began to respond to his vigorous cranking. "I've cranked and cranked and cranked, and why it should begin now and not ten minutes ago is beyond my comprehension."

If the driver had been of an inquiring turn of mind and had conducted his investigations a little further, he might have located the real cause of all his difficulties.

In the course of the last half hour, Billy Whiskers had been feasting himself upon the pies and cakes and other delicacies stored in the hamper.

"My, what would Browny think if he could see me now!" he thought. And it was his roar of delight that resulted in the first consternation of the inexperienced chauffeur.

"Deary me!" thought the goat, when the auto brought up with a violent jerk. "I wish Mr. Treat would be more careful. I'll surely be caught now, and he will be the death of me if he finds me in here," and a nervous shiver or two ran down his spine. But when all quieted down and the machine was making good time over the country roads, Billy resumed his repast only to be interrupted once or twice by his chuckles of bubbling good nature.

At last, even his appetite being fully satisfied, he began to lay further plans for his outing.

(But Billy's appetite frustrated his plans.)

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Her Own Career

BY PHYLLIS PHILLIPS

KISSES

"Now I know why mother always refused to talk much about my relatives in New York," said Gwenda with a laugh. "Dear, oh, dear, how funny. She must have been afraid of you all. And I can remember way back, when I was small and curious, asking grandmere why it was that I had no little cousins like the rest of the children in Millersville. I was such a lonely, small creature always," she finished, wistfully. "I used to tell myself that I was born to be that way, and for that reason got more happiness out of my fairy tales than do most children, with their merry brothers and sisters, and their long days of play. My real life began when, once safely in my own little room, I lost myself in the arms of fairy princes—played and danced with hob-goblins, thrilled with Sinbad and his adventures, and climbed the beanstalk with dear Jack, to lose myself in the heights of another world. Those were my wonder hours when a child. Always alone, yet not alone, for I had my fantasy and my world peopled by the fairy folk I most loved.

"Mother, of course, used to try to stop me from reading. Said it was bad for the eyes, and all nonsense anyhow. Took my mind off the things she wished me to keep it on. Fern, Fern, Fern, what agony I used to go through, often. I wonder why girls like you and me are put into certain families, anyhow? It seems all wrong."

"Same here," answered her cousin. But there's one thing to be said for the past unhappiness that one goes though, it does not make a girl appreciate her present joys, eh?"

"Appreciate them?" queried Gwenda with a shudder of delight as she let her dark eyes roam around the studio and rest lovingly on each and every object so dear to her heart. "That isn't the word, nor can my feelings be put into mere cold words, Fern. I want to kiss and kiss and kiss the things I love. Yes, they're all inanimate things, just at present, to be sure," she said with an apologetic laugh, "but beautiful colors, soft draperies, delicate china and perfume bottles, provocative, should all be kissed by me, many times, if I truly wished to show just how much I appreciate them. And if one should love a man," she went on slowly, and half to herself, "Ah! If one should love a man—one who would respond—one who loved you, even as you most desired— why, then, Fern, dear, one would kiss him, too, and even die for him!" she finished exultingly.

"That is how I feel for Fedya," said Fern tensely. "You are lucky to be able to have your peace of mind still, Gwenda, and to be content to bestow your kisses on cushions. But you, too, will have your heartaches, every woman does. None is spared. If only we could love lightly! Natures like ours never do though. That is our tragedy."

"You envy me my love of inanimate objects—silly girl—while I am busy envying you your love of a real man! We are never satisfied, it seems.

(To be continued.)

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Either you are in good health or you are not. There's no half way. You may think nothing of being a little run down. It may not worry you if you look pale. You may think you'll be all right tomorrow or next day. But will you?

Certain it is when you do not feel just right, you are not just right. There is probably something the matter with your blood. And while you can get around and do your work you are leaving yourself open to any of the diseases that are always waiting to take possession of run down people.

When you are pale and easily tired, when you cannot enjoy your meals, when you lose enthusiasm, your blood needs attention.

Take Pepto-Mangan for awhile. It is a great tonic. It will build up your resistance to disease, and you will soon feel stronger. The little red corpuscles are fighters. They battle with disease germs and win out when there are enough of them. Keep your system well supplied. Then you will keep well and you will enjoy life.

But be certain you get the genuine Pepto-Mangan. Ask for it by the full name—"Gude's Pepto-Mangan." Some people take it in tablet form. It is so convenient. The liquid and the tablets have the same medicinal value. Look for the name "Gude's" on the package. —adv.

Home Is Robbed

Thieves last night entered the home of Charles Easterday of Sixth street, Ironton and got away with considerable loot. Mr. Easterday is well known in Portsmouth.

Falls Down Shaft, Back Is Broken

William Matthey, carpenter, suffered a broken back when he plunged down the elevator shaft in the Cloran building, in Ironton, Tuesday. He was taken to the Deaconess Hospital in that city.

Winter Bouquets. Wreaths, Holly and Festooning. Buy early and avoid the rush.
14-3t THE HERMS FLORAL CO.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Walter Goad of 1832 Fifth street, who has been seriously ill with complications, is improving.

Walter Lewis, of Tygert Valley, Ky., who has been ill for some time is improving.

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WASHINGTON—Value of country's important farm crops placed at $9,145,519,000 by department of agriculture.

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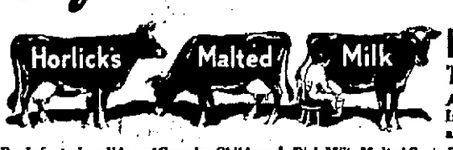

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The C. O. U. class of First Evangelical church met last evening with Miss Evelyn Keever of Eleventh street. A passing party was a feature of the evening. Miss Virginia Life was a guest, and the members present were Mrs. William Torges, Mrs. Clarence Fisher, Misses Ida Bender, Esther Multer, Anna Putzek, Marie Torges, Irene Kidd, Mabel Kaost, Martha Moritz, Elsie Deiner, Chloe Gleim, Flora Kuhn and Alma Miller. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Alma Miller, Sixth and Court streets.

The C. T. M. Mission Circle of the First Baptist church was entertained Monday evening at the home of Misses Esther and Catherine Burns on Grant street. This was the regular Christmas meeting and the Christmas tree was trimmed with packages which will be sent to the Judson Memorial School at New York. Miss Mary Gower led the study, "The Bible and Missions," after which the hostesses and their assistants, Mrs. Charles Starlin and Miss Myrtle Graham, served refreshments. Miss Carrie Sowers will be the hostess of the next meeting.

The marriage of Miss Agnes Taylor of Sharonville and Mr. Warren Bain Robertson of Columbus took place this morning in the home of Rev. C. E. Chandler of Bigelow church.

The bride is popular with the younger social set of Greenup, where she has been visiting for the past two months. She is the daughter of Mrs. Eunice Taylor of Sharonville, who, with another daughter, Miss Eunice, accompanied the bridal couple here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson left this afternoon for Columbus, where they will reside.

Dinner at six o'clock last evening was served in the United Brethren church dining-room to the members of the Mizpah Class, forty of whom were present for an evening of merry-making. An attractive Christmas tree held gifts for the guests. The success of the evening is due to the efforts of the social and entertainment committees.

Mrs. Earl Bardin of Fifth street will receive the members of the Friday Sewing Club on Friday afternoon.

A special meeting of the St. Hilda's Guild of All Saints' church will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the rector's office, and every member is urged to be present because of the importance of the business to be transacted.

Miss Thelma Payne of 415 Second street was hostess of the meeting of Miss Lillian Hayes' Class of the First Christian church which was held Monday evening. Miss Hayes will be the hostess of the next meeting which will be a passing party next Monday evening, at her home on Ninth street.

The Mizpah Class of Franklin Avenue M. E. church met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Paul Wunderlich, of 199 Twentieth street, with Mrs. W. V. Raison and Mrs. E. M. White as hostesses. There were thirty-eight present. The feature of the evening was a passing party. After spending a most enjoyable evening the hostesses served lunch. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl Wendelken with Mrs. Roy Wendelken and Miss Clara Blomeyer as hostesses.

Tonight is the night for the Charity Ball, and it is hoped that all will take advantage of the opportunity to help, through the purchase of tickets. The Elks' Club, Barsman's Dancing Academy, Ben Hur Hall and the new Auditorium will be used for dancing.

The Standard Bearers of Trinity church will meet at the home of Miss Eva Riggs, 1518 Robinson avenue, this evening at 7:30 and every member is urged to be present. A passing party will be a feature of the evening.

Mrs. S. D. Ruggles of Second street will entertain the Priscillas Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

The Home League will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herman Pick, 1507 Offnere street, with Mrs. Charles Hauck assisting.

Mrs. Howard Rowe of Grandview avenue will entertain the Emanon Club Thursday afternoon with a passing party.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Monroe on Offnere street.

The Missionary Society of the Grandview Avenue Church of Christ will meets at 7:00 Thursday evening with Mrs. Mattie Scott at her home on Grandview avenue. Mrs. Cliff Rowe will be the leader. All members are asked to come for the passing party.

Misses Ada and Kate Vigus of 2302 Vinton avenue will be the hostesses of the meeting of the Home Culture Club Thursday evening at 7:30.

Your Manners

It Is Correct

For a lady dining alone in a hotel to wear her hat.

For a lady to dine early when alone in a hotel.

For a lady to complete her toilet quickly when in a crowded Pullman dressing room.

To offer assistance to a fellow passenger in need of help with some articles of wearing apparel.

When asking a busy Pullman porter to perform a service to add "when you have time."

To say "thank you" to servants for extra services performed for you.

It Is Not Correct

To ask a Pullman porter to make up your berth out of turn ahead of women with children or elderly people.

To leave water in a wash bowl after using it.

To take up more space in a Pullman dressing room for personal belongings than one is entitled to.

When rising early in a Pullman car to disturb others by loud talking.

To indulge in loud talking at a late hour in a Pullman car.

Miss Mary Hook's class of the First Evangelical church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. W. E. Cook, 841 Sixth street. A passing party will be enjoyed after the business session.

The Board of Managers of the Home for Aged Women will have a meeting tomorrow at 2:30 at the home.

(Irontonian)

Mrs. R. H. McGugin and two daughters, Hallene and Bety aline, have returned from a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Huestis and family of Portsmouth.

Mrs. A. A. Martin and son Samuel, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rietz of Sedgwick, have returned to their home in Portsmouth.

Mrs. R. L. Davidson and Mrs. W. D. Burton of Portsmouth spent Monday in Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mittendorf and son, John Henry, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McKnight, motored to Portsmouth Sunday and spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bugh.

Mrs. Addie Morton went to Portsmouth yesterday to spend the day with friends.

Mrs. Victoria Kelly is in Portsmouth to visit her daughter, Mrs. Vota Farmer.

The music at Trinity church next Sunday evening will be the most attractive for many years. The large chorus will be accompanied with organ, piano and violin. A beautiful effect will be produced when the entire congregation joins in on the ever popular Christmas hymn, "Joy To the World."

Plans for the annual banquet and installation of newly-elected officers were made at the annual meeting of the Springville Grove Woodmen Circle at South Portsmouth. One candidate was balloted upon.

Mrs. Veva Sanders was elected Guardian of the Circle for the ensuing year. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Rose Brooker, Past Guardian; Mrs. Frances Edgington, Clerk; Mrs. Mary Zubars, Banker; Mrs. Blanche Sanders, Adviser; Miss Luella McMullen, Attendant; Mrs. Clara E. Rollins, Assistant Attendant; Mrs. Emmie Kinsey, Outer Sentinel; Mrs. Emmie Kinsey, Inner Sentinel; Mers. Leona Williams, Mrs. Ida McElhaney and Mrs. Clara Rollins, managers.

Mrs. John Sowers of Lincoln street entertained at dinner Tuesday noon, Mrs. Thurman Emory and children, Clarice, Phyllis and Roberta, of New Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Evans, Mrs. Benjamin Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Wells Jenkins, all of New Boston, Mrs. John Henning of Wheelersburg, Mrs. A. K. Wheeler and daughters, Elnora and Arcella, Mrs. Fred Arrigoni, Mrs. William Sowers and Mrs. Sadie Like.

Miss Virginia Henson of South Portsmouth had as dinner guests recently Misses Alma Cadot, Marjorie, Helen and Lucile Chick, Messrs. Hobart Munsey, Lester Absher, Howard Davis, Bruce Moore, Marvin Putzek and Walter Chick.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Miller of South Portsmouth have returned from a visit to Louisville, Ky., and Union, South Carolina.

Miss Ruby Hazelbaker of Buena Vista was a shopping visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. Addie Williamson of Willow Grove, W. Va., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Belle Roush, Third and Waller streets.

Mrs. Laura Smith of Cincinnati has returned home after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McCoy, 718 Seventh street.

Dr. F. H. Williams is visiting in Cincinnati.

Mrs. A. T. B. Sommerville and Mrs. S. C. Peebles of Ashland spent today in Portsmouth, shopping.

There will be no meeting of the Art Circle Thursday afternoon. The date for the meeting will be announced later.

Money And Relics For Ohio Society

COLUMBUS, O., December 15.—Several articles of historical significance, together with a fund of $47,124, were turned over to the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society in annual meeting here today. A cane, made of wood from the Ironclad Merrimac and given to the late William G Deshler for financial services rendered the government during the civil war, will be presented to the society by John G. Deshler, who also will turn over to the organization an historic iron safe more than a century old.

Governor Cox turned the $47,124 into the society's treasury, this amount representing the earnings from film exhibitions at Camp Sherman.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves Itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after first application. 60c.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Ohio.
December 15, 1920.

	Fld. stg. riv. ft.	Hgt. river ft.	Change since last 24 hrs.	Fall. last 24 hrs.
Franklin	15	5.4R	+2.50	.01
Greensboro	18	12.4R	+3.40	.06
Pittsburgh	22	7.3R	+1.00	.04
Dam No. 13		8.9F		
Zanesville	25	9.9R	+.90	.02
Charleston	30	9.3R	+4.30	
Point Pleasant ..	40	9.1R	+3.60	
Huntington	50	7.5R	+1.20	
Ashland	50	9.6R	+.80	
Portsmouth	50	8.5F	-2.30	
Cincinnati	50	15.6F	-1.00	

F. B. WINTER,
River Observer.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

A Timely Warning On Some of Its Dangers

During the season of Christmas shopping, great care should be taken not to unnecessarily expose yourself to colds that are likely to result in grip and pneumonia. The excitement of the time, the sudden change from the close and suffocating air of the big stores to the street, are all dangerous.

Doctors declare that this is one explanation for the annual increase of sickness at this season. While this article is written to again call your attention to the value of Father John's Medicine in treating and preventing colds, grip and pneumonia, it will be of value to you and may save your life if it causes you to be careful to avoid the dangers we have pointed out. They are real dangers.

And if we cause you to avoid the patent medicines, so many of which contain nerve-deadening and poisonous drugs, by again warning you against them, it will be the means of saving your health.—Adv.

Many School Children are Sickly

and take cold easily, are feverish and constipated, have headaches, stomach or bowel trouble.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN

Used by Mothers for over 30 years

Are pleasant to take and a certain relief. They tend to break up a cold in 24 hours, act on the Stomach, Liver and Bowels and tend to correct intestinal disorders and destroy worms. 10,000 testimonials like the following from mothers and friends of children telling of relief. Originals are on file in our offices:

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LAUNCH C. OF C. DRIVE

The annual Chamber of Commerce membership campaign started Wednesday morning with eight soliciting teams at work. The campaign workers manned by Floyd Fuller devoted 2 hours this morning and will devote 2 hours Thursday morning to the campaign work. It is hoped to cover all the territory in this length of time.

A meeting was held by the solicitors at C. of C. rooms Tuesday night at which time the prospect cards were given out. This morning the workers met at the C. of C. rooms, went over their cards and started out on their work.

The workers had lunch at the Elks Club at noon at which time the workers reported 6 new members signed and a number of members paying their dues.

There is a contest among the workers which will make each team hustle to get as many new members as possible.

The teams and their personnel follow.

Team No. 1—Frank Coburn, William Kugleman.

Team No. 2—Fred Winter, J. H. Goodman.

Team No. 3—John Eckhart, Joe Russell, J. H. Kehr, Howard Gehres.

Team No. 4—F. R. Bachman, J. F. Gemperline, John Flood, L. F. Lemon.

Team No. 5—T. D. Smith, Vallee Harold, F. W. Moulton.

Team No. 6—Edward Carlyle, Fred R. Thomas, G. E. Carlyle.

Team No. 7—T. A. Schramm, Arthur DeVoss, C. W. Crawford, O. E. Rickey, C. M. Howland.

Team No. 8—L. P. Haldeman, Floyd Fuller.

JACKSON NEWS

JACKSON, Dec. 15—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Farrar celebrated their Silver Wedding anniversary Saturday night, the fifty guests brought many valuable and serviceable silver gifts. The Jackson band, of which Mr. Farrar is a member, furnished music for the occasion

Storers Go To Florida

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Storer and son Floyd of Jackson township have gone to Florida to spend the winter and they are located at Bradentown, where the oranges are already ripe.

Harold Hurd, leading druggist at Greenville, Ohio, is visiting the family of his father, Capt. J. C. Hurd.

Mrs. Frank Delay is visiting in Columbus and she will be joined there by her mother, Mrs. J. L. Shuter of Akron.

Three Eighty Sixers

Jackson can boast of three men of eighty six years of age who are remarkably active for their age. Capt. Eben Jones, father of Judge Thomas A. Jones, Edwin Jones, Charles D. Jones, Newton Jones and Frederick E. Jones, and Mrs. Emma Given, mother of Miss Thelma Given the talented violinist; William F. Nerian of Liberty township, whose wife, nearly as old as he is, survives; and James Chesnut, father of Mrs. John Robbins and two sisters, together with four sons all living elsewhere, who came to Jackson when the first railroad came and was one of its business men in 1854.

Mrs. Clyde Dungan of Dayton came to this city last week to visit her parents, Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Hurd and other relatives, and her brother Harold Hurd came here to meet her.

Longs Visit Mitchells

Dr. J. H. Long and son James C. Long, visited Rev. and Mrs. W. R. Mitchell last week. Dr. Long is Mrs. Mitchell's brother and he is located at Delaware, Ohio, where he is in charge of a Sanitarium.

Mrs. Daniel W. Evans and Mrs. Daniel Lewis, both of Columbus, came to this county last week to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards. The husbands of both ladies were former residents of this county.

Talented Harpist Returns Home

Miss Verlincha Ann Gilbert who has been receiving instruction on the Harp under Pinto in New York city for three years, comes home Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney C. Gilbert. Although only seventeen years of age, she has already acquired wonderful proficiency in her art. She is a niece of Walter Jenkins the Jackson clothier, and Senator Tom W. Jones of Meigs county, is her mother's cousin.

Five Veterans Confined To Homes

Andrew McMillen, brother of Emerson McMillen the New York gas magnate, who has been confined to his home in this city for some time, is now able to sit up in his bed. He is a veteran of the Second West Virginia Cavalry. Gaston Stiffler who has been ill for a year, Ripley Eubanks father of Attorney Evan C. Eubanks and brothers, who has been ill for six months, Peter McClain father of Ex-Mayor Frank McClain, and Jerry Behembo has been ill since the election, are somewhat improved.

Returns From Wales

Rev. W. H. Davis who holds the pastorate of a church in the state of New York, but who was formerly located in Jackson, has returned from Wales where he spent the summer with relatives, landing at New York Dec. 12. During his absence Mrs. Davis visited her aged mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips of this place who is ninety-five years old.

Returns From Hospital

Rev. Edwin J. Lewis of the Presbyterian church who was hurried to Grant hospital last week has so far recovered that he was able to return home without undergoing an operation.

Edwin Evans, who has been employed at Akron, has returned home to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones widow of John Jones, California, is recovering from a two weeks illness.

Hunter Bleeds To Death

JACKSON, Dec. 14—A most distressing accident occurred near Sagan Hill, but on the the Gallia county side, when young William Hale aged about twenty years was found dead after loss of blood caused by an accident while out hunting. He had gone out with friends, but they became separated. Some time later his companions heard his shot and his calls, but thinking that he had bagged game they thought nothing of it, and they returned toward noon to their respectives homes. But when Hale did not return, his family became alarmed and a search was instituted. About three p. m. he was found but he had been dead for some time. There was an ugly wound on his leg, and he had lost much blood, but he had dragged himself some distance from the point where he had dropped his gun before surrendering to the inevitable. A widowed mother, and brothers and sisters survive. The father belonged to a family once numerous in this county. The funeral was held Sunday at Brush church.

AN INNOCENT VICTIM IN THE HAMON CASE

Olivebelle Hamon.

Olivebelle Hamon, a little miss with bobbed hair, is one of the innocent victims in the Jake L. Hamon tragedy. Whether her father, millionaire oil man and national Republican committeeman from Oklahoma, died from the accidental discharge of a revolver he was cleaning or was shot by some one in his rooms at Ardmore, Okla., is a mystery. He told friends after he was found that he accidentally shot himself. Ardmore officials are seeking Clara Smith Hamon; his former secretary, in the belief that she can throw some light on the mystery.

Why Druggists Recommend Swamp-Root

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription.

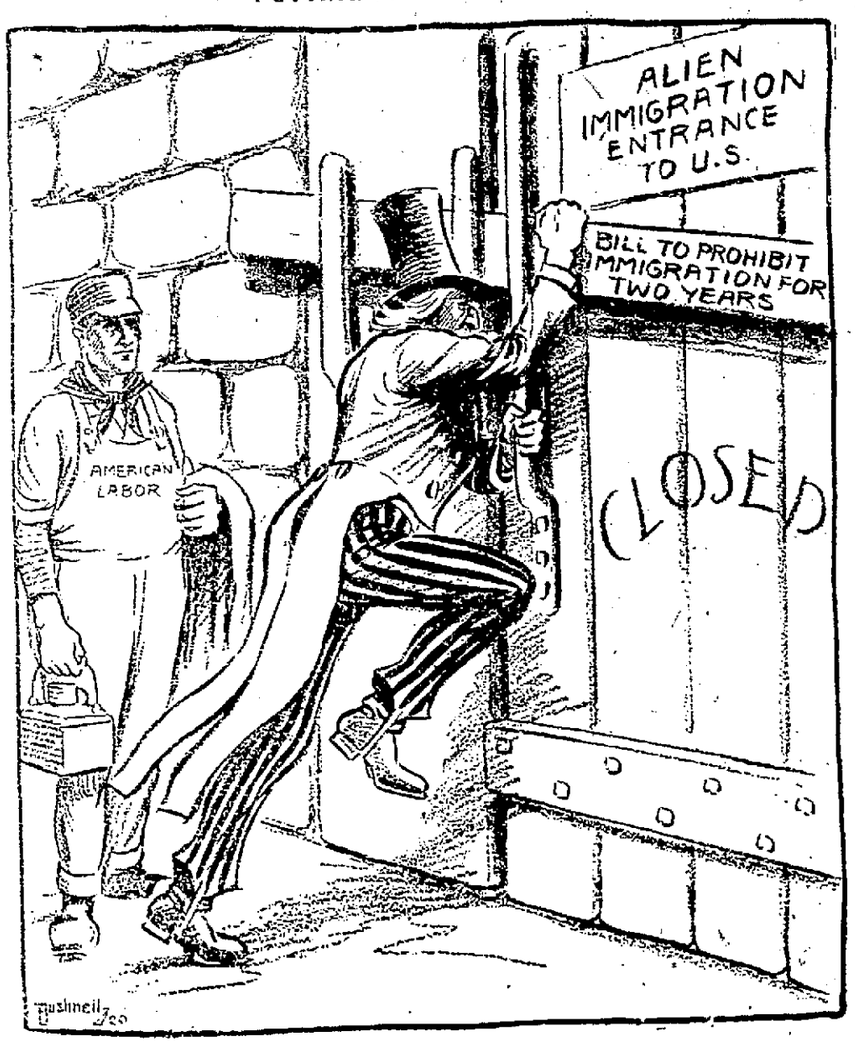
Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder do the work nature intended they should do.

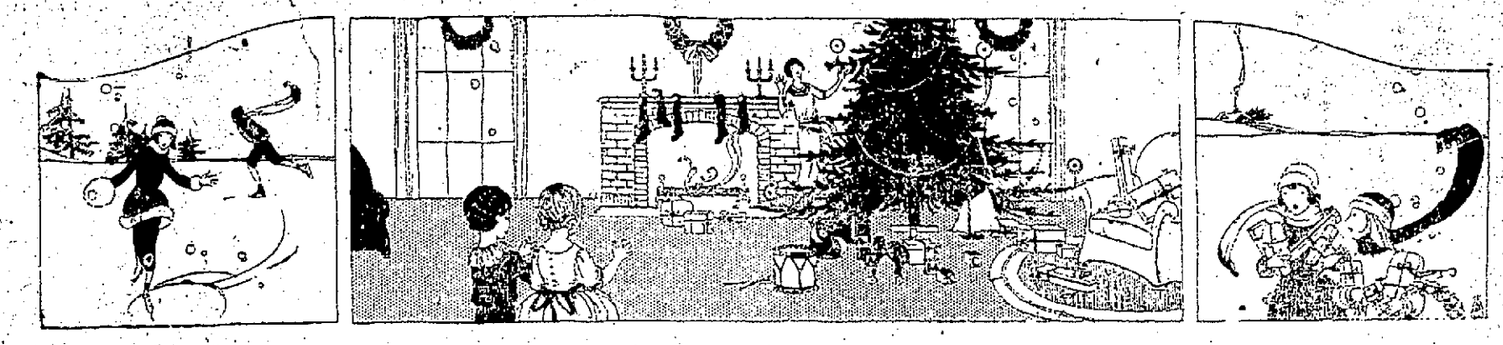
Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

PUTTING UP THE BARS





Now for a good old-Fashioned Christmas

We've Plenty Of Gift Things And Prices

Much Lower Than Last Year

It won't be long before the Christmas tree must be trimmed and how much more enthusiastic you will feel about it if the last name on your list has been checked off days or even weeks before,—if all gift worries are off your mind.

Just the right things to give mother, dad or any of the other folks you wish to remember are now being presented here in alluring assortments that make it wonderfully easy to get yuletile shopping all finished up with speed and dispatch.

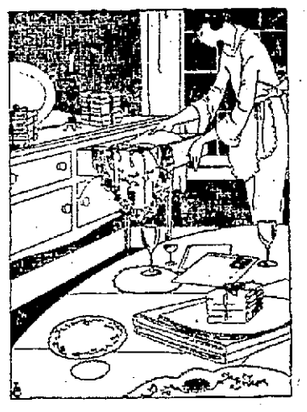
With prices generally much lower than last Christmas we feel safe in predicting heavier holiday shopping than ever and naturally a more urgent necessity for yearly choosing.

Thoughtfulness Will Cause Many Women To Receive Wearables

Especially when such offerings as are now to be had in our dress section make their appearance a fortnight before Christmas. There is more appreciation than comes merely from the gift, when husband or son or sister or mother are so observing as to note that Mary or "Sis" could use one of these splendid dresses.

Recent arrivals have augmented two wonderful assortments of women's wool dresses, mostly serges and velours, all neatly made and stylish models, that we are now offering at the very special prices of

$14.95 and $21.75



Give Derryvale Linen Table Cloths

We have them priced at just about one-half their actual values. My, how mother or wife loves to receive a snowy white pure linen table cloth at Christmas time. And how much more the appreciation if it be the famous Derryvale real Irish Linen. In this before-Christmas linen event, we assure you that the prices are but slightly more than one-half the actual values were we to purchase on today's market.

These genuine Derryvale cloths, every thread pure linen, come 2, 2 1-2 and 3 yards long. Our stock is limited, only forty-six cloths in all and positively no more can be had at anywhere near these prices.

Derryvale Linen Table Cloths, two yards square at $7.50, $9.75, $12 and $13.50.

Derryvale Linen Table Cloths, two and a half yards long at $9.50, $12 and $15.

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Napkins to match most of the cloths at about the same price per dozen as the cloth cost.

Derryvale Linen Table Cloths, two yards square, packed in handsome green gift boxes with padded lids, at $12.50. This is an exceptional value, easily worth twenty dollars.

BOOKS Will Give the Children Many Pleasant Hours

What would Christmas be where there are children, without books? Books and more books, make merry and happy the day that is so dear to the hearts of all children.

Our big book department has been moved to our second floor, where more space can be given, and here you can choose books away from the great throngs of toyland.

BOOKS FOR GIRLS are to be found in great profusion. The Make Believe books and the Ruby Books are marked 50c. While for 65c you get such delights as Four Little Blossoms, Bobbsey Twins, Bunny Brown, The Outdoor Girls, Camp Fire Girls, The Girls at Central High, The Khaki Girls, Grace Harlowe's The Girl Scouts, Betty Gordon and others.

BOOKS FOR BOYS may be had in thrillers like Babe Ruth the Home Run King at 85c, and a big selection at 65c, including Dick Prescott, West Point, series, Tom Swift, Tom Slade, Young Aeroplane Scouts, The Ralph Boys' Books, The Big Five, Motorcycle Boys, Boy Scouts and The Boy Allies.

The new Volland Golden Friendship gift books at 75c, $1.25 and $1.35.

Surely You'll Want a Lot

Everybody wants candy at Christmas time. They want it in dishes and bowls in every room. It's nice to have it handy, so you can eat a piece or two whenever you want it. And how nice, too, to have the kind of candy that has no restrictions when it comes to eating. You don't have to say, Johnnie, you've eaten enough today," for this is pure, fresh candy and it won't hurt you if you gorge yourself as the little folks always like to do.

A great big variety of about twenty kinds at 40c a pound. Get five or ten pounds, all assorted, and make the home life all the more Christmasy.

Frances Willard chocolates, sold in Portsmouth exclusively at Anderson's, in pound boxes at $1. Half pound boxes at 50c.

To Delight the Heart of Childhood

Our third floor is overflowing with a thousand and one articles awaiting to fulfill their mission. Here it is that the little tots, big-eyed with excitement, scamper hither and yon among what to them is a perfect heaven of joy-things. Here it is that the Christmas spirit and the universal spirit of the real Santa Claus enters into their makeup. Is there a parental heartso cold or is there an adult anywhere who has so missed the rtal happiness in life as to let a Christmas pass without bringing joy to the heart of some youngster, either in or out of his own family? If your prospects for a happy Christmas this year are somewhat dark, try giving the kind of happiness you crave and it will come back to you. If you have little tots of your own, make them glad at Christmas. If you haven't, adopt one for the day—any one will do, the poorer the better. A visit to our Toy Land will give you suggestions aplenty for here are myriads of toy things and joy things that play upon the heart strings of childhood.

Santa Claus is real. If you don't believe in him, you are missing the beauties of Christmas.

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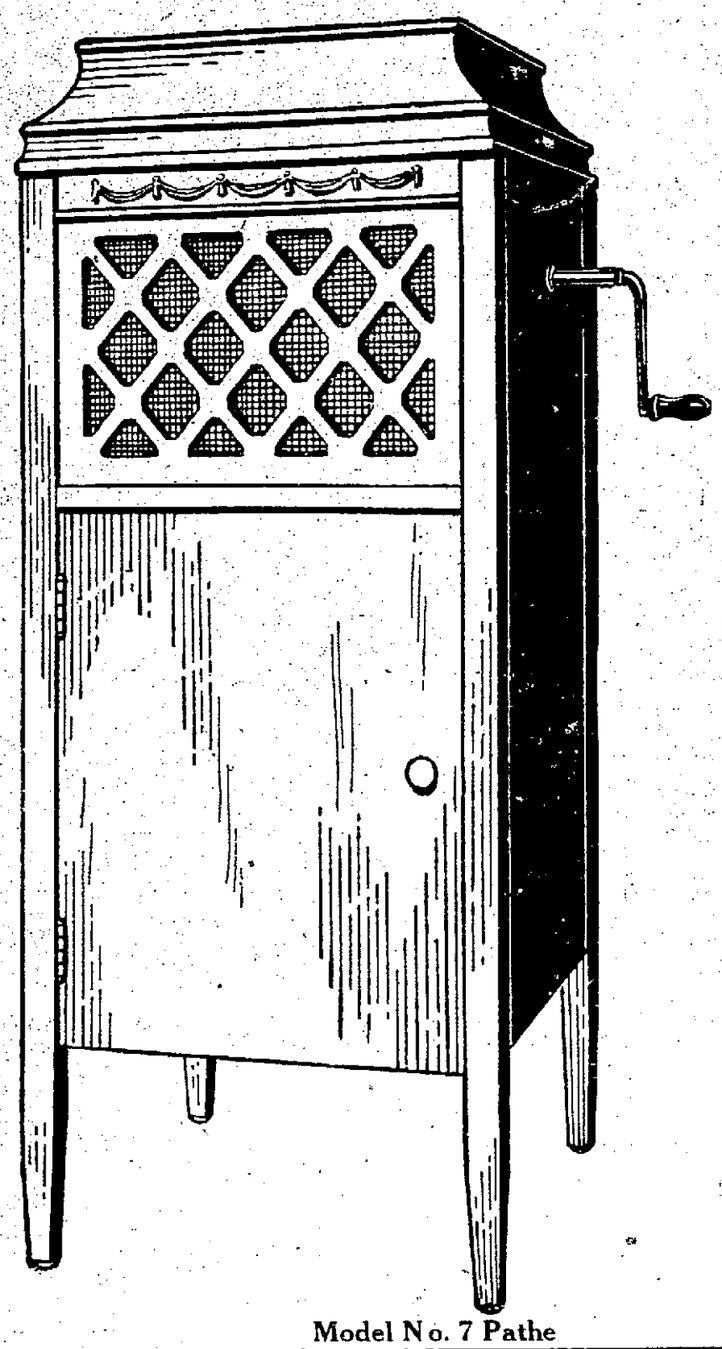

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Yes, Hear The Pathe

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In keeping with its marvelous tone is its beautifully finished cabinet—a product of the craftsman's art. The motor, too, is scientifically perfect and in every way "fool proof," and is absolutely guaranteed for one year.

War Referendum

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So far as I can recall it Mr. Bryan's plan for a referendum of the people before a declaration of war was to apply to the United States alone. Col. Harvey would have an association of nations agree to such a plan, with the United States, all powerful in world affairs, standing as sponsor for the entire organization.

Senator Harding himself has declined to discuss the matter, but Col. Harvey while disclaiming any authority to speak for himself, personally espoused the idea with vigor, and expressed the belief that a practicable plan could be devised through friendly consultation and helpful cooperation with other nations.

"On the merits of the proposal, if it can be made effective," said Col. Harvey, "I think there can be no doubt in any mind sensitive to the highest ideals and most worthy traditions of America."

Harding Keeps Open Mind

As the conferences respecting international relations of the United States proceed here at Marion, Senator Harding gives every evidence of keeping an entirely opn mind. When Elihu Root was asked at the end of his long and important conference with Mr. reached, he replied very deliberately. Harding if any conclusions had been "The nature of the conferences the President-elect is holding, is such as not to lead to any immediate or definite conclusions. My own talk with Senator Harding was most delightful and most satisfactory."

Mr. Root did not see the Harvey statement before leaving Marion and probably would not have commented upon it if he had. Like all other schemes of international arrangements, the whole plan would fall down if all the nations of the world did not join. It is recognized by those who have discussed the Harvey and Bryan idea that it would be out of the question for one party to a dispute to hold a referendum as to a declaration of war while the other power, not bound by the referendum obligation, was preparing to strike and gain the initial advantage of the attack.

Court Could Continue to Function

Having participated in the formulation of the plans for permanent court of international justice, it was natural that Mr. Root should have dwelt for some time in his talk with Senator Harding on that particular phase of a possible international accord. Although this court is now a part of the league of nations, Mr. Root evidently is of the opinion it could continue to function even if the league of nations, founded at Versailles, should fall to pieces. This would be made possible by an amendment to the general arbitration treaties in effect today among most of the civilized powers. These treaties agree to the arbitration of certain disputes, such as the interpretation of treaties and of international law codes, but in each dispute it is necessary to choose a board of commission of arbitration. The permanent court offers a ready means of deciding issues promptly and if the powers now affected by the network of arbitration treaties in effect should agree that disputes always should be referred to this tribunal, both Senator Harding and Mr. Root believe a long step will be made toward abolishing war.

Court Will Not Make War Impossible

Mr. Root does not believe the court will make war impossible. The court might declare itself on a question of right, but it would be powerless to stop a war which had its inception in a question of policy. Mr. Root does not believe it possible to "compel" nations to submit their quarrels to an international court.

"It is a dangerous business," he said, "to talk about compulsion when you are dealing with nations."

But Mr. Root would committ the United States to the court, and, like Mr. Taft he would not except from the jurisdiction of the court even questions of so-called national honor.

"If you act honorably," he said, "you have nothing to fear from submitting your national honor to the test."

Court Could Not Have Stopped Recent Wars

Mr. Root does not believe that any of the recent wars of history could have been prevented by the court he has helped to establish. These wars have been wars of policy, some of them dynastic wars and no court can be devised to deal with policy wars. Where one party to a dispute is bent upon making war, as Mr. Root believes the Central Powers were bent in 1914, nothing can stop hostilities. With the passing of kings and queens and dynasties, and the establishment of governments responsible to the people, Mr. Root believes war will become more and more remote and that voluntarily nation of the world will agree to submit all their disputes, including those of national honor, to adjudication by an unbiased international court. The fact that the new court is to be a permanent affair, and always ready to hear and act, Mr Root regards it as a step beyond anything heretofore attempted.

Today Senator Harding's callers included W. W. Atterbury, vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad, who was director of transportation under General Pershing in France, and Governor W. C. Sproul of Pennsylvania.

Passage Of Resolutions

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will act for the best interests of the country according to its best banking judgment or the federal reserve system will become the football of Congressional politics. That's the critical view of the situation as it has developed in executive quarters in the last few days.

Some inkling of the seriousness with which members of the federal reserve board regarded the invasion of their prerogatives reached the Senate yesterday for the proposal to limit the discount rate to five percent was voted down after it was learned what a mischievous effect the action might have had on the entire banking situation.

Teeth Taken Out of Resolution

So far as the federal reserve board is concerned, the teeth were taken out of the resolution when the proposal was changed from a "direction" to the "expression of an opinion." Governor Harding has indicated in his testimony before congress exactly how he views the proposal to extend further credits to the agricultural interests and the action of the Senate has not changed his mind. Mr. Harding is to be governor of the federal reserve board until August 1922, and though he comes from the south which has been insistent that cotton growers be protected by the extension of credits, he is acting independently of any political influences in the matter. The fact that Senator Carter Glass of Virginia, a Democrat, and former Secretary of the treasury, as well as Senator George McLean, Republican, chairman of the Senate Committee on banking and currency vigorously opposed the action of the Senate is proof of the non-partisan character of the opposition to the Gronna-Norris proposal. Officials fear that for a day or two the market might hold up as relief is promised by Congress but that when those who are holding their goods finally find out that they can't expect financial aid the bottom will drop still further and the revulsion of feeling will be even greater against those who raised false hopes.

Feared to Antagonize Farmers

As for the secretary of the treasury and the war finance corporation, the direction of Congress that it be revived will be heeded if the resolution passes both houses. There is of course a chance that a presidential vote may be interposed as Mr. Houston's word with President Wilson is very potent. However, even if the resolution should become law over a veto, the chance for relief is still dependent upon the personnel of the war finance corporation, the members of which are selected by the president. There are four members of the board besides the secretary of the treasury and at present Mr. Wilson appointed two Democrats there are two vacancies. Supposing would the Senate confirm them for four years or would the Senate for that Warren Harding ought to have the chance to name those new members. Delay would, of course, nullify the purpose of the resolution as it seems to be the universal opinion in executive quarters that the present emergency will come to an end after New Years. Moreover, the regulations of the war finance corporation are made by the corporation itself. It can demand all sorts of security and practically decline to extend aid except as it pleases. Furthermore, the secretary of the treasury would be obliged to go into the open market and borrow money to give to the war finance corporation.

It is being whispered about the capitol that some of the men who voted for the resolution didn't expect anything to come of their action but feared to antagonize the farmers back home.

AL ROUDETY ACCIDENTALLY SHOOTS SELF IN ARM WHILE KILLING HOGS

While killing hogs on his farm near Wheelersburg Tuesday, Al Roudety, Second and Sinton streets, accidentally shot himself through the left forearm, the bullet of a revolver tearing through the arm and coming out on the opposite side. Luckily the bullet did not strike a bone. Mr. Roudety had killed one hog and was in the act of killing another when the accident occurred.

The wound gave the injured man a great deal of pain but he was reported as resting easier this morning. Dr. O. C. Andre of Wheelersbur rendered first aid.

Mr. Roudety owns a farm on the Hayport Road. He was for years a valued employe of the Selby Shoe company and his friends will be pleased to learn that he was not seriously wounded. He is now at home in this city.

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Men, Women and Young People

To Hear F. M. STAMBAUGH

Tonight, on

"THE SIN THAT HAS NO FORGIVENESS"

AT

NEW BOSTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

7:30 P. M.

LOSES $101; POLICE CHIEF FINDS IT

Through the efforts of Chief Joe Distel, Harley Vogler, collector for The Steinkamp Furniture company, Tuesday night recovered a pocketbook containing $101, which he lost in the vicinity of Fifth and Broadway streets during the day.

Vogler appealed to the police on discovering his loss and following a tip that a man was seen to pick up the purse led the chief to the home of Link. Stamper, a brickworker, living at 1004 Harrisonville avenue, New Boston, who on being questioned told of finding the money which he readily turned over to the officer.

PROMINENT PYTHIANS WILL BE HERE FOR BIG DISTRICT RALLY TONIGHT

On this Wednesday, evening, December 15th, Magnolia Lodge No. 115, Knights of Pythias, will have the pleasure of entertaining the 10th District meeting of the Knights of Pythias for the State of Ohio.

This meeting will call together all the most prominent Pythians of the State, several of the Grand Lodge officers will attend and it is fortunate that this district will have the Grand Chancellor, Fred E. Brumf and that Grand Old Man of Pythianism, "Uncle Bill Beatty," Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, in charge of the meeting.

Scioto, Pike, Lawrence, Jackson, Adams and Ross county will be well represented and a large attendance is expected. One of those Good Old Pythian Lunches will be served, and any Pythian missing this meeting will have something to regret.

Every Pythian who can, is urged to attend, for this will be something for all.

Judge A. C. Williams of Columbus and Past Grand Chancellor Dr. E. W. Tidd and Grand Lodge Trustee, George L. Gulker are some other Grand Lodge officers in attendance.

For immediate and permanent relief from eczema I prescribe

Resinol

"If you want to *experiment*, try some of those things you talk about. But if you really want that itching stopped and your skin healed, I advise you to get a jar of Resinol Ointment, and a cake of Resinol Soap. We doctors have been prescribing that treatment ever since you were a small boy, so we *know* what it will do. It is cooling, soothing, easy and economical to use, and rarely fails to overcome eczema and similar affections."

Ask your dealer today for Resinol Soap and Ointment.

NEW BOSTON

Much interest is being taken in the evangelistic services at the Christian church. Evangelist F. M. Stambaugh, who is an able speaker, is preaching inspiring sermons each evening. Last evening he spoke on the subject: "Following Jesus," and was heard by a large, attentive audience.

Mrs. Mary Taylor and Miss Golda O'Neal favored the audience with a duet.

This evening Rev. Stambaugh will preach on: "The Sin Which Has No Forgiveness." Robert C. Holbrook, of Portsmouth, will lead the singing this evening. Special numbers will be given each evening throughout these services. Come and enjoy these evenings. Services will begin each evening at 7:30.

The Junior Legal Daughters class, of the Christian church, will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Ruie Caudill, of Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. Thurman Evans, of Rhodes avenue, Mrs. Thurman Emery and children, Phyllis, Charles and Roberta, of Harrisonville avenue, Mrs. William Jenkins, of Gallia avenue, and Mrs. B. F. Brown, of Ohio avenue, were among the guests yesterday at the home of Mrs. John Sowers, of Portsmouth.

Mrs. Ida Rose of Glenwood avenue, returned home today from Huntington, where she has been visiting Mrs. Alice Gordon.

Mrs. W. H. Wrenn, of Grace street, is slowly recovering from an extended illness.

A good meeting of the Woodmen Circle was held last evening. One candidate, Gerhart Rolfe, was initiated. Mrs. Lloyd Fleming was elected banker to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the former banker.

Rev. F. M. Stambaugh, who is conducting revival services at the Christian church, is being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Birch Hunt, of Grace street.

Oscar Semones, of Hanging Rock, is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hardman and children, of Ohio avenue, have returned home from a visit with relatives at Ashland, and Catlettsburg, Ky.

Emil Cook, o the U. S. S. Pennsylvania, New York, is home for a visit with relatives and friends.

Certain foods, those rich in vitamins, are more useful than others.

Scott's Emulsion

is replete with those elements that determine growth and strength.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N.J. 20-17

N. & W. Brotherhood Heads Summoned Before Board

ROANOKE, VA., December 15.—W. C. Turner, vice president of the Order of Railway Conductors, and Val Fitzpatrick, vice president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, have been summoned to appear before the railroad labor board in Chicago, December 16 to "show cause why they issued a strike referendum to members of their organizations on the Norfolk & Western railway in violation of the "Transportation act."

Protect the Children

Healthy Blood and a Healthy System is a Child's best protection against Colds, Grip and Influenza. Give them GROVE'S IRON TONIC SYRUP. 75c.

Card Of Thanks

I find words inadequate to express my gratitude to all those whose kindness was so manifest during my recent bereavement. I wish to especially thank the ministers for their consoling words, the singers, and floral donors also neighbors and friends for use of machines.

MRS. MAE M. NORRIS.

To Write Good English

To be able to write good and pure English, one must habitually dwell and sympathize with men and women who write English of this character. Any young student who reads and enjoys Goldsmith, Jane Austen, Walter Scott, Macaulay, Froude, Stevenson, and other writers of simple English will certainly come in time to write good and pure English himself.—Melklejohn.

BRINGING UP FATHER

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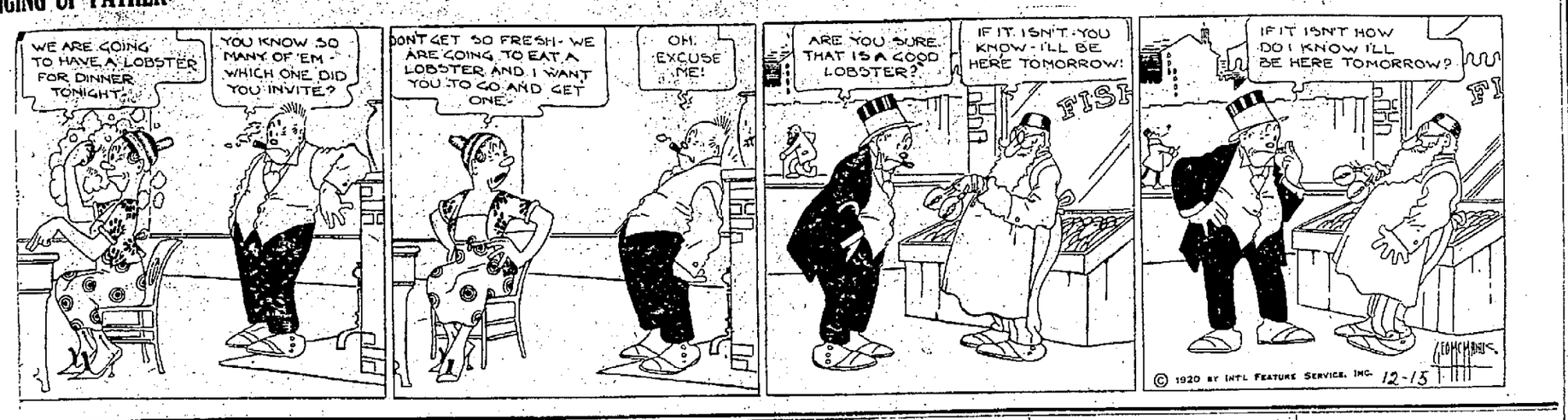

SUNDAY CLOSING CASE IS TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

The cases of George Rorres, Peter Storres and Nick Clarras, proprietors of The Classic, charged with operating the restaurant department of their business in violation of the Sunday closing law, were submitted to Judge Small in Municipal court Tuesday on an agreed statement of fact and arguments of counsel, Judge Harry Ball appearing for the Law Enforcement League and Attorney E. G. Millar representing the defendants.

At the conclusion of the arguments the court took the cases under advisement until Friday when it was announced he would hand down his decisions.

The argeed statement of fact, to which Attorney Millar interposed a demurrer and moved the court to dismiss the defendants, recited that "The Classic" is one of the leading confectionery and soft drink, ice cream and candy kitchens in the city and that the defendants since purchasing the business last June have added to it a lunch department and served sanwiches, with potatoes and gravy, hot chicken, hot pork, hot coffee, cold sandwiches, chickekn on toast and other articles of food.

It was further agreed that there is no kitchen connected with the business, but that there is a steam box behind the lunch counter in the main room, used for keeping warm, all food obtained, for service to the trade and also that there are several places in the city that make it their chief business, if not their only business, to serve meals every day in the week, including Sunday. "Two of these places are within a few rods of the place of the defendants," the statement continues, saying "the defendants do not have regular boarders or serve regular meals but the customers order whatever they desire from the menu."

It was agreed that the defendants opened their place of business on Sunday, Dec. 5 and served as called for as usual on other days of the week, only articles in their lunch department and did not sell or offer for sale anything in the other department.

It was admitted that there is no sign of devise inside or out of the premises to indicate that the place is a regular eating house or restaurant and that the defendants obtained a license from the State Fire Marshal as required by the General Code of persons operating a restaurant under the provisions of that act.

Attorney Millar in support of his contention that his clients were wholly within their rights declared that it was all a question of public policy that we have one day of rest and not on account of religious views as many suppose that Sunday is observed.

He claimed that the establishment conducted by the defendants came within the scope of a public eating house and he cited a long line of authorities to bear out his claim, chief of which was, "But it is task much more difficulty, and one that a court ought not unnecessarily to attempt, to draw a line that shall clearly distinguish works of necessity from those that are not. It is easy to say that to feed the hungry, attend the sick, rescue a fellow being from danger, and also to take care of and preserve a dumb brute, are all works of necessity and charity. The care and preservation of property, though inanimate may also be a work of necessity.

The law contemplates that the community has a general need that all should rest on Sunday. Most of the affairs and doings on week days are less important than this need or rest day, but some are superior. To keep the body physically sound by food, to provide the facilities for worship during some hours of the day, and for restful mental occupation during others, to nurse and heal the sick, to provide prompt burial of the dead, these and some other objects are superior to the need of repose. Necessary work includes all that is indispensable to be done on Sunday in order to secure attainment of whatever is more important to the community than the day of rest."

Attorney Millar claimed that each case must be decided by the circumstances and that if furnishing food was more important to man than rest, then it became more of a question of fact that of law. He declared that the size of the establishment did not control and asserted that the "hot dog" vendor had as much right to sell his products on Sunday as any other day in the week.

Attorney Ball took issue with opposing counsel and contended that the defendants establishment does not come within the mening of the law as a public eating house nor as a work of necessity or charity. He reviewed the Sunday work and labor laws passed in this state from 1831 up to present and stated that the tendency of all the legislation on the question was to provide further rest which he said was welcomed by all hard working people. He said there was a tendency to shorten hours of labor and that the physical necessity for rest was the basis and object of the Sunday law. He declared that the full effect should be given the statutes for the protection of the Sabbath so as to promote the ends for which they were passed.

The speaker stressed that the Sunday law is more than a mere convenience yet he stated that any business could legally be operated on Sunday but it must be a real necessity and not a mere desire, he said, in pointing out that a great majority want to observe the Sunday laws and that only a few grasping persons don't want to close their places.

Judge Ball declared that the defendants establishment was not essential to the welfare of the community and that it could not be regarded as a bonifide eating house and pointed out that the sale of soft drinks, candy and ice cream was the main feature of the business.

Judge Ball quoted from various authorities from many states in the union in which the question has been passed upon by the courts to back up his stand in respect to the cases at bar.

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Years of study and observation convinced him it would safely, quickly and surely stop a bad cough and give instant relief in Bronchial Asthma. Money back if it fails. Guaranteed harmless. All druggists.
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Rub in this penetrating liniment. The agony is lulled. Relief is immediate and lasting. Get the 60-cent bottle from your druggist.
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Our Sensationally Reduced Sale Prices have set a new low standard which may be lower now than in 1921! All Overstocks being depleted fast in our great timely—

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THE BIGGEST HOLIDAY ATTRACTION OF ALL

COATS--½ Price!

Gorgeous Velour, Silvertone, Silk Plush Fur Fabric, Crush Plush, Kersey and other marvelous materials.

Late styled short coats of Plush and Cloth, very stylish "Wrap" Coats, wonderful long models and cape collar styles.

The majority have luxurious fur trimming. Many of those intensely popular conservative models—everything that is STYLE.

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This is a Special Offer to those who will give Coats

Someone—your wife, mother or whoever it may be would be extremely appreciative of a warm good looking coat for Xmas! Anyway, these Sale prices alone actually compel attention!

$20 Cloth Coats $9.95
$30 Cloth Coats $14.95
$37 Plush Coats $18.49
$50 Rich Modes $24.95

UNLOADING HOLIDAY GOODS!

69c Silk Camisoles .48c
$1.75 Silk Camisoles for $1.19
$2 Purses, Bags .$1.49
Ladies Kid Gloves $1.49
Box of 3 Kerchiefs .39c
Box of 2 Kerchiefs .25c
$3 Crepe Kimonas $1.98
$6.50 Silk Kimonas for $4.98
$6 Bath Robes...$4.98
$7.50 Bath Robes $5.98
$1.98 Childs' Hats..99c
Men's $1.50 Silk Ties for 98c
Men's 85c Silk Ties 69c
$1.98 Mens Shirts $1.49
Men' Silk Shirts ..$5.98
Child's $5 Fur Sets $2.98
Childs' $8 Fur Sets $4.98
Child's Kid Mittens .69c
$1 Velvet Tams ... 69c
$1.49 Umbrellas....99c
$3.50 Umbrellas .$2.49
$4 Bed Spreads ..$2.98
$6.25 Bed Spreads $4.98
Men's $1 Silk Hose .79c
Ladies 75c Silk Hose 49c
Ladies Wool Hosiery 98c
Child's 29c Hose .. 19c
Boys' Union Suits ..67c
Men's Union Suits $1.89
Men's $1.49 Sweaters for 99c
Men's $4 Sweaters for $2.98

FURS!--20% OFF!

20 per cent off of our Original Low Prices on all Fur Sets, Scarfs or Muffs. Very Fine Furs—the most desired styles!

$9.95 Scarfs, 20 per cent off ... $7.98
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$7.98 Muffs, 20 per cent off $6.38

UNLOADING—
Infants' Knit Wear!

Being overstocked heavily in this goods we have made startling reductions and urge you to get the benefit of them while you can—that is, at once.

$7.50 Knit Sets ... $4.98
Infants' three piece sets, sweater, leggings and cap of fine wool yarn. Several colors.

Knit Caps .... 39c to 98c
All kinds of the finest yarns, one or two color styles.

Knit Bootees .. 29c to 98c
Large and small styles, warm, nicely fashioned in pretty colors.

SANTA HAS REDUCED ALL PRICES IN—
DOLL-LAND

$1 unbreakable jointed doll, 9 inches tall, dressed. 69c

26 inch dressed doll, unbreakable head, $3 value $1.98

EXTRA SPECIAL!
Tall, finely dressed 20 inch doll with real hair, movable arms and legs $2 value at 98c

$2.25 Dressed, jointed dolls with real hair, at $1.19

High grade, $4 Dressed Dolls, 18 inches tall. Special $2.98

Sacques .. $1.49 to $2.98
Plain and fancy knit Sacqurs foe infants, of heavy yarns, one or two color styles, some fleece lined.

Knit Mittens .. 23c to 59c
The prettiest yarn mittens you've ever seen, warm good fitting.

Leggins .... 98c to $1.98

More Proof That This Is the Greatest Xmas Sale!

All Boys' Suits, O'Coats, Mackinaws ....
All Men's Work or Dress Trousers .....
Our entire line of Fine Hair Goods .....
All Fancy Silk Ribbons at .....
25% off
Every Blanket and Comfort in stock ..... 20 percent off!

And Hundreds of Other Remarkable Offers!

GO WHERE THE CROWDS GO
PORTSMOUTH DRY GOODS CO.
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BEST VALUES AT ALL TIMES

Selby Foremen Hold Meeting

Five new members were admitted at the regular meeting of the Selby Superintendents' and Foremen's Association meeting Monday evening.

The meeting started at 4:30 with a supper and then followed the business meeting and short program of music and talks. The new members initiated were Miss Marian Hiester, Miss Ida Frick, J. B. Wiles, Ed. Petry and B. Allen. Special vocal numbers were given by Miss Hazel Grimm and Miss Bertha Staiger.

Talks were made by Roger Selby and Charles Hauck, both men talking on the "Economics of Shoe Manufacture." This month's meeting proved to be one of the most interesting of recent months.

Gordon Is Exonerated On Reckless Driving Charge

Abe Gordon, vice president of The D. Labold company, who figured in an automobile accident at Ninth and Waller streets, Tuesday morning was later exonerated of a charge of reckless driving in Municipal court, Judge Small dismissing the complaint because of lack of evidence to support the charge.

Gordon told the court that he swerved his machine into the curbing and awning posts in front of the Antis Bros. grocery store to avoid a collision with the car driven by the complaining witness, John Montavon, who was traveling north on Waller street. The Montavon machine was side swiped and slightly damaged, while Gordon's car was damaged to the extent of about $75.

RUN OVER FIRE HOSE; ARE FINED

Brady Patton and J. S. Gilmore, both of New Boston, were convicted in municipal court Tuesday afternoon of disorderly conduct and were fined $15 and costs by Judge Small.

The men got in some trouble with a fireman on Damarin Hill Monday by running over a fire hose and the evidence offered was sufficient to convict the men.

Russell Lutz, a third occupant of the machine, was dismissed.

Row Aired In Police Court

A row between C. J. Cooper and his wife, May Cooper, on one side, and Henry Sapp on the other, was aired in Municipal court Tuesday and resulted in Judge Small dismissing the trio.

The evidence disclosed that Sapp, who is conducting the restaurant at the Cooper House, 920 Waller street, and his landlords became involved in a dispute Monday night, which led Mrs. Cooper to take possession of some silverware which she claimed she had loaned to Sapp for use in the restaurant. The quarrel was renewed Tuesday when an altercation arose because the Coopers objected to the electric lights burning and turned off the current.

Officer Schroeder was appealed to and he ordered the trio into court to settle their their difficulty.

ARE YOUR KIDNEYS ACTIVE

Not if you are subject to weak spells, dizziness, headache and general rheumatic pains.

You may have felt out of sorts for some time and maybe have begun to lose weight. Now and then there is a feeling of dizziness, appetite lags, you yawn during the day, your back hurts but still you are not laid up. These are the danger signals that warn you to look after the kidneys. They are weak and the system retains body poisons that strong and active kidneys would strain out. There is a splendid and guaranteed remedy called Solvax for such conditions sold by Wurster Bros., and other leading druggists and you should try it. If it doesn't prove satisfactory in your case simply return the package and get your money back. Be sure to try it. Weakness of the kidneys may not cause you much pain nor depression but such a condition always leaves you open to severe colds, pneumonia and most other serious diseases.

Winter Bouquets, Wreaths, Holly and Festooning. Buy early and avoid the rush.
14-3t THE HERMS FLORAL CO.

Seventh Examination

The seventh X-ray examination made upon the person of George Cookes, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Cookes, 1515 Fifth street, was made on the foot of the lad Monday afternoon in an endeavor to get at the seat of the trouble that has afflicted him for the past six months.

In the spring the boy suffered an injury that led through blood poisoning into a singlar bone disease that was first detected in the lad's hip and which has now spread to his foot.

The young boy was doing nicely, it was reported Tuesday.

Removed Home

George Prince, N. & W. engineer, who was injured Sunday morning when struck by an automobile as he was crossing Ninth and Waller streets, is getting along nicely. He was removed from Hempstead hospital to his home, 1417 Center street, in Lynn's ambulance Monday afternoon.

PREPARE YOUR INVESTMENTS

Our Stock Books are now open for the NEW YEAR. A SOUND AND STRONG HOME FINANCIAL COMPANY, where its OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS are well known, is preferable to OUTSIDE CONCERNS for those who give the matter SERIOUS CONSIDERATION.

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6 per cent for 30 Years. Why take less?
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Purchasing Methods And Financial Conditions Are Blamed For Low Tobacco Prices

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 15.—Purchasing methods of large buyers as well as financial conditions due to unfavorable foreign exchange rates and contraction of domestic credits are held responsible for low tobacco prices in a special report sent to congress by the federal trade commission. It contained the results of the commission's investigation of the industry as directed by congress and the following recommendations. Establishment by the department of agriculture, under the warehouse act, of a federal system of grading leaf tobacco; revival in permanent form of expired provisions, (1916) relating to the use of common agencies in the purchase of leaf tobacco; specific prohibition of leaf tobacco purchases "through agencies not disclosed to the trade."

The investigation was prompted by complaints received by members of congress, particularly from growers in Kentucky, Tennessee and Ohio at the low prices paid for leaf tobacco in 1920.

It was alleged that buyers for big companies would not bid against each other, but would "rotate" in buying and the commission was directed to investigate for the purpose of determining to what extent, if any, the anti-trust laws and the dissolution decree in the American Tobacco Company cases handed down by the supreme court in 1911 were being violated.

Sore Throat Wisdom

To relieve Sore Throat you must get at the seat of the disease, counteracting the cause. TONSILINE is prepared and sold for that one purpose. A dose of TONSILINE taken upon the first appearance of Sore Throat may save long days of sickness. Use a little Sore Throat wisdom and buy a bottle of TONSILINE today. You may need it tomorrow.

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Big 3 Overalls now $1.65
U. S. Army new O. D. Serge Shirts now $4.45
Black and Tan Leatherette Raincoats, extra good grades, now $12.45
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POTATOES POTATOES

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Phone your order in early as they will go like hot cakes on a cold day.

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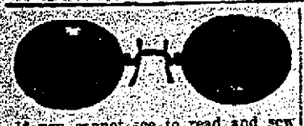

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WANTED—Middle aged widow lady with one child wants in good home, can give good reference. Address L. M. W. 67 1-2 S. Court street, Athens, Ohio. 15-2t.

WANTED—Used cash register. Phone 462. 15-3t

WANTED—Package delivery. Call Dick Bostwick, 404-Y. 15-tf

WANTED—To hire horse and wagon until January 1st. Phone 1524-R. 15-3t

WANTED—Girl for boarding house work. 810 Gay St. 15-tf

WANTED—Guttering, spouting, repairing. Albert Lauter. Phone 1867-R. 9-14t

WANTED—You to get your Christmas Greeting cards at the McConnell Printery, 214 Chillicothe St. Special prices. 7tf

WANTED—Davenports, davenettes, chairs and lounges to upholster and repair. Chair caning done. Elmer Blevings, 609 2nd. Phone 2002-G. 7-16t

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WANTED—Pupils on violin. Call William Brumfield, 408 Chillicothe or Lyric Theatre. Can arrange purchase of instrument. 4tf

WANTED—Painting and paper hanging. Union workman. Phone 1074-L. N. E. Quipp. 10-1-tf

WANTED—To pay cash for Liberty Bonds. 710 Chillicothe. 10-1-tf

WANTED—High grade upholstering and refinishing work, 28 years experience. Schreick, 810 Chillicothe. Phone 403-X. 20-tf

WANTED — Used furniture and stoves. Phone 403-X. 10-20-tf

WANTED—Moving, local and long distance, with truck. Call Henry Mershon. Boston 61-L. 10-1-tf

FOR SALE

Special on account of moving in our new garage, January 1st, we are offering some bargains at extreme low prices that will make a very fine Xmas present. One Hudson 6-40 Touring, one Hudson Super-Six Touring, one Chandler, winter top touring, one new Dodge Roadster. Call and look these cars over.

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for convenience and correct setting should be supplied with the necessary Knives, Forks, Spoons and special Dishes for each course! Select them from our new designs of Sterling or Triple Plated Silverware.

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WANTED—Your carpets. New System Carpet Cleaning Co. Phone 490 or 508. 10-1-tf

WANTED—To buy furniture, stoves and clothing. Phone 403-L. 10-1-tf

WANTED—Men: Buckeye Firebrick & Clay Co., Scioto Furnace, Ohio. 30tf

WANTED—To pay cash for Second-hand furniture and stoves. Phone 628-G. 13-6t

WANTED—Washings and ironings to do. Phone 1347-L. 13-3t.

WANTED — Experienced Salesman wanted for standardized automobile accessory in Portsmouth and surrounding territory. Commission. Reference necessary. Address: E. A. Meek, 347 E. Lewis St. Ft. Wayne, Indiana. 13-2t.

WANTED—Plain sewing to do. 923 4th. 13-3t.

WANTED—Used furniture. Call Stirr. Phone 2156-L. 13-tf

WANTED—Experienced cook at Liberty Restaurant, 917½ Gallia. 13-3t

WANTED—Our friends to have their old shoes made like new and save from 5 to 10 dollars for Xmas shopping at Cox Bros. Shoe Shop. Phone 1877-Y Just call us. 8-tf

WANTED—Boarders. 732 9th 10-6t

WANTED— Typewriter Repairing. Leave machines at Brandau's Book Store. T. S. Wright. 10-10t

WANTED—Good white corn in large or small quantities. Delivered to our elevator. T. G. Jewett & Sons. 11tf

WANTED—To buy or exchange used Victrola records. Call 1441. 12-6t

WANTED—Woman or girl for housework. Good pay. 1401 Kinney's Lane. 14-tf

WANTED—Hemstitching to do. All materials 10c per yard. At Bonnet Shop, 905 Gallia St. 14-7t

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FOR SALE—Big line of boys' coaster wagons and sleds at Stahler's Hardware. 15-2t

FOR SALE—4 room cottage, gas and water, neat home on Campbell ave., $800, balance monthly. Price $3,700. 4 room cottage, gas and water, comfortable home, on Ohio avenue. Price $2,400, $300, balance as rent. Phone 834-Y or Boston 149. J. L. Prather Realty Co. 15-1t

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FOR SALE—Men's light dress overcoat. Dark blue. Size 40. Nice condition. Price $12.50. See Bud Stahler, 514 2nd St. 15-2t

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FOR SALE—Six room house on Gallia at Terminals. Phone 1584-X. 15-3t

FOR SALE—New kitchen cabinet, library table, sewing machine, dresser, dining table. Phone 998-L, or call at 1417 Park Ave. 15-3t

FOR SALE—Gas ranges, the ideal X-mas gift. Get the best at Stahler's. 15-2t

FOR SALE—Monkeys, parrots, singing canaries, fancy bantams. Wanser Pet Shop. 14-5t

FOR SALE—Blue serge suit, same as new. Phone 245-L. 1626-12th. 14-3t

FOR SALE—Ladies Brown silvertone coat. Cheap. 801-John. 14-2t

FOR SALE—2—24" medium gray hair switches. Phone 4172. 13-2t.

FOR SALE—Reed Buggy $12. Phone 834-J. 14-2t.

FOR SALE—500 bushels home grown potatoes. This week $1.50 per bu. Phone 1178-Y. 14-2t

FOR SALE and Exchange—Homes in Portsmouth, Boston, Sciotoville and Wheelersburg. Phone 834-Y, or Boston 149. J. L. Prather Realty Co., office near Waiting Sta., Boston. 4-2t

FOR SALE—Pair of brown shoes, practically new, size 4, triple A. Phone 883, or 1318 4th. 14-2t

FOR SALE—1919 Ford touring car in good condition. 1806 Highland avenue. 14-4t

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FOR SALE—Man's good gray overcoat. Cheap. Apply 214 Chillicothe St. 2-tf

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FOR SALE—Hand made cedar chests Phone 880-Y or 718 2nd St. 12-7t

FOR SALE—Cleanup Sale! Watches, diamonds, jewelry, pistols and guns. 422 Carr Building. Phone 946. 10-tf

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five room dwelling, bath and electricity. 1324 Spring St. $40 per month. The Land Office. 15-3t

FOR RENT—3 rooms downstairs. Gas, water. 2226 6th. 15-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms. 736 7th. 15-tf

FOR RENT—Six room house, water and gas, Boulevard. $25.00 per month. The Land Office. 15-3t

FOR RENT—4 room down stairs flat. Water and gas. 1413 Mabert Road. $25 per month in advance. Call James E. Hannah, 2436. 15-tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms and kitchen. Phone 834-R. 15-tf

FOR RENT—2 very fine rooms for light housekeeping with or without garage. 13th and Waller. Phone 1266-L. 15-tf

FOR RENT—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping, 1010 Gallia. 15-tf

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. 1202 1-2 Young St. 15-2t

FOR ENT—Three room furnished flat down stairs. Bath and phone, at 6th and Brown streets. Phone 690-L. 15-2t

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms. Phone 1883-Y. 15-1t

FOR RENT—Garage at 1124 18th. Inquire 510 Second. 15-2t

FOR RENT—6 room house at 2326 9th St. $25. Call 924 4th St. Phone 955-Y. 15-1t

FOR RENT—Six room house and garage, modern: 1646 Sixth St., $55.00 per month. The Land Office. 15-3t

FOR RENT—3 rooms, water and gas.

FOR RENT—2 four room houses. Water and gas. Inquire 4040 Rhodes Ave., New Boston. 15-3t

FOR RENT—New 6 room house with bath. North Moreland addition. $35 per month. Phone 2436. James E. Hannah. 15-tf

FOR RENT—2 rooms for light housekeeping. All conveniences. Phone 2241-R. 14-2t

FOR RENT—New five room house located on Main street, Sciotoville. Phone 25, Sciotoville Exchange. Dr. Hutchens. 14-2t

FOR RENT—3 rooms for housekeeping. Terms reasonable. 1116 3rd. 14-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 628 1-2 Fourth St. 14-3t

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms. 914 7th. 14-2t

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. 1519 10th. 14-2t

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 1 down stairs. 1313 6th. 14-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished room for light housekeeping. 1545 11th street. 12-tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Bath and phone. 503 6th. Phone 716-L. 14-tf

FOR RENT—Flat, 3 unfurnished upstairs rooms. Bath, private entrance, sink, separate gas meter. No children. 1662 Highland. 13-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house 1013 Mill street. $18 per month. Apply to the Land Office. 13-3t.

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FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms downstairs, for light housekeeping. Bath and phone Phone Boston 30-R. 13-3t

FOR RENT—Garage. 815 8th. 13-3t

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms. Phone 458-M. 13-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms, bath, 614 Washington. 11tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Private entrance and bath, 309 Washington. 10-tf

FOR RENT—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping, conveniences. Call at 1127 Findlay St. 7tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 2435 Gallia. Phone 548-X. 7tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms upstairs for light house keeping for two persons, water and gas. 717 7th. 4tf

FOR RENT—Front room, modern conveniences, good location. 1503 Fifth St. 20-tf

LOST

LOST—Twenty-nine dollars in bills wrapped in old rose handkerchief, on Offnere between Eighteenth and Kinney's Lane or the cemetery. Reward. Phone 1309-Y. 14-2t

LOST—White female Collie dog with white ears, in New Boston. Phone Boston 37-Y. 14-2t

LOST—34x4 Sterling case & rim. Notify Davis Drug Co. Reward. 13-3t

LOST—Hound, female. Had collar and chain and license tag. Phone 1076. Reward. 13-tf

LOST—Gold watch-bracelet with blocked initials "S. M. W." on back. Phone 245-L. Reward. 14-3t

LOST—Brooch with Masonic emblem. Return 622 5th St. 15-2t

LOST—Tire and rim between Pinkerman school and Sciotoville. Phone 1787, Red Cross. Reward. 15-3t

LOST—Between Union and Offnere, Saturday night, Ford radiator cover. Return to 1240 3rd. or phone 573-L. Reward. 15-3t

FOUND—Young coach dog. Phone 148-X. 3726 Gallia. 15-3t

FOUND—Leather gauntlet glove for right hand. Owner can have same by calling at 2112 Seventh and paying for ad. 15-3t

MISCELLANEOUS

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At once, saleslady for ready-to-wear store, steady position and good wages. Please give age and reference in reply.
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OAK HILL

Grange Elects Officers

Diamond Grange met in regular session Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, and elected the following officers.
Luther Shadrach—Master.
Morgan Davis—Overseer.
Anna Shadrach—Lecturer.
Annie Truner—Secretary.
Daniel Jones—Steward.
D. C. Parry—Treasurer.
D. J. Jones—Chaplain.
Edgar Davis—Asst. Steward.
Myrtle Hughes—Lady Asst. Steward.
Wm. Edwards—Doorkeeper.
Grace Howell—Pomona.
Annetta Davis—Ceres.
Winifred Crabtree—Flora.

Mr. and Mrs. William Betts, Wm. H. Miller, nd sisters Mrs. Russell Poole and Mrs. Ray Souders attended D. of P. lodge at Jackson, Tuesday night.

John Souders, taxi driver of Jackson made a trip here one day last week.

To Spend Xmas in Florida

Miss Annie Turner, 7th grade teacher, will leave Friday, Decc. 24, to spend the Xmas holidays with John Turner and family at Lakeland, Florida. She will be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. Gomer E. Jones was shopping in Portsmouth Tuesday.

Mrs. A. D. Evans spent Monday in Jackson.

Clennie Miller attended the revival at Black Fork Sunday.

Jan. 2 "Go To Church" Sunday

The Ministerial Association at their regular meeting last Monday morning voted to set aside Sunday January 2, 1921 as "Go To Church" Sunday. Every one is urged to attend some church on that day.

Hunter Has Narrow Escape

Willard (Pete) Crabtree, had a remarkkable escape from death while hunting near his home one day last week. In some manner his gun was discharged, the bullet narrowly missing the side of his head and face.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grafton are in Huntington, W. Va., for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Davis and Mrs. esLter Sims were shopping in Jackson Thursday.

George Arthurs of Clay was in town Thursday.

Jake Ross, Candy man of Chillicothe, made his regular trip here Wednesday.

Mrs. Oscar Smith and daughter Armintа returned Wednesday from a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bolton at Washington, C. H.

Miss Beatrice Elcess is now employed at M. P. Tope's Grocery.

The Liberty Bells at Oak Hill

The first number of the winter's Lecture Course will be given in the Liberty Theatre, Thursday, Dec. 23, under the auspices of the M. E. Ladies Aid Society. Season tickets will cost $1.50 for adults, $1.00 for children under 14 years of age. Plan will be open Monday at 9 a. m. at Stemshorns restaurant.

Visits Old Home

John Jones, son of Dave Jones of Portsmouth, passed thro' here last week on his way to spend a few days with relatives and friends at Peniel.

Mr. Jones is planning to move his family to Paintsville, W. Va., where he has employment.

Rev. Dibert Holding Revival

The big revival at Black Fork is at the beginning of its third week.

There has been more than 30 conversions. Large crowds are present at each of these meetings which are held daily at 2 and 6:30 p. m. Rev. J. E. Dibert, pastor of the local M. E. church, is in charge of the meeting.

Undergoes Second Operation

Miss Dorothy Bates, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murley Bates, is recovering nicely from an operation for an abcess in her side. This is her second operation in the past year, the other being forappendicitis. Dr. Holzer of Gallipolis assisted by Dr. Gomer E. Jones, performed both operations.

Mrs. John N. Davis was a Jackson shopper Friday.

T. J. Hugher, D. T. Jones and Thomas Thomas, Veterans of '61 attended a meeting of the G. A. R. at JJackson Saturday.

Miss Marianna Davis of Black Fork ws shopping here Tuesday.

Hobart Skinner, who has been in Western Kansas the past few months is now at the home of his parents Mr. and Mr. Aaron Skinner.

J. N. Foster will spend Xmas holidays with relatives in Columbus.

Mrs. Ottie Jabnson and baby of Banner were Jackson visitors one day last week.

John Will Leonard has recovered from an attack of rheumatism and is bck in school again.

Mrs. Pearl Wagner andAunt. Mrs. Elizabeth Messer were shopping in Jackson Friday.

Mrs. Earl Dulaney was among the many Xmas shoppers in Jackson Tuesday.

U. B. Aid Society Meets

Mrs. M. P. Tape was hastess to the U. B. Ladies' Aid Society at her home on Main street Monday evening. A large crowd was present and the evcing passed pleasantly talking over proposed plans for this winters' work. Three new members, Misses Anice Jayne, Ethel Herbert and Bertha Jones, were added to the roll. Members present beside those named were Mesdames Earl Dulaney, eGorge Seel, Ed Gillespie, John Tape, Bert Boggs, Guy McDaniel, Wm. Davis, James Merzler, Frank Raynoe, Lew Foster, Ed Pfeiffer, Charles Thompson and Homer Thompson. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Charles Thompson.

To Make Club Permanent

Plans for making the organization a permanent one were discussed at the meeting of the Republican club in the Masonic Temple last night. By making the membership in the club more attractive it is hoped to stimulate the interest in the organization.

Wrist Broken

When it comes to claiming the "crank" victims the Ford does not make any exceptions. Dr. W. W. Smith being the latest to fall a victim of the "crank." He was cranking his machine Tuesday when the crank struck his right wrist with sufficient force to break a small bone in it.

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Three room cottage, Campbell avenue near Fifth, condition good.

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Four room cottage, 11th street near Hutchins, good condition.

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Five room cottage, complete bath, Hill Top, near car line.

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Five room two story, 7th street near Offnere, bath, garage.

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Balance Easy Monthly Payments
Four room cottage, Hill Top, near main car line, complete bath, garage.

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Five room cottage, Robinson avenue near Hutchins, bath, electricity.

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Aside from oils, which were inclined to forfeit part of their substantial recoveries of the previous session, prices at the outset of today's stock market were irregularly higher. Within the first half hour gains of 1 to 2 1-2 points were registered by Atlantic Gulf, American Can, General Electric, Sloss-Sheffield Steel and several of the popular specialties. Rails were mixed and equipments also reflected an uncertain trend. The possibility of a money flurry arising from the day's heavy tax payment made traders more than ordinarily cautious.

Trading fell away sharply in the first hour in comparison with the recent feverish activity, but many leaders extended their gains, especially oils, rails, steels and food specialties. A 3 point rise in Vanadium Steel was regarded as an indication that no adverse action would be taken by the directors at today's meeting. A reversal of 1 to 2 points ensued toward noon, shorts selling on announcement of the passing of the Willys-Overland preferred dividend and the suspension of dividends on Keystone Tire and several miscellaneous companies. Shippings weakened, the mercantile marine pfd., losing 2 points. Call money opened at the fixed rate of 7 percent, but the market was almost bare of time funds.

Stocks were under renewed pressure today, numerous additional dividends suspensions and more backward conditions in trade and industry prompting further bearish activity. Sales approximated 850,000 shares.

The closing was heavy.

NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

American Beet Sugar 49
American Can 23½
American Car and Foundry Ex. Div. 121⅝
American Locomotive 82¼
American Smelting and Ref'g 40⅞
American Sumatra Tobacco 70
American T. and T. 97⅞
Anaconda Copper 37
Atchison 80¾
Baldwin Locomotive 87½
Baltimore and Ohio 32¾
Bethlehem Steel "B" Ex. Div. 52
Central Leather 36⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio 56¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 27
Corn Products 65⅝
Crucible Steel 82
General Motors 13⅝
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 26¼
Goodrich Co. 35
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 48⅛
International Paper 48⅝
Kennecott Copper 17
Mexican Petroleum 104½
New York Central 68⅝
Norfolk and Western 96⅛
Northern Pacific 77
Pennsylvania 39⅞
Reading 82
Rep. Iron and Stell 61¾
Sinclair Oil and Refining 24⅝
Southern Pacific 97¼
Southern Railway 20⅞
Studebaker Corporation 40½
Texas Co. 43½
Tobacco Products 50⅝
Union Pacific 115⅝
United States Rubber 63½
United States Steel 79
Utah Copper 50½
Westinghouse Electric 41¼
Willys-Overland 6

CLOSING PRICES ON OHIO STOCK

COLUMBUS, Dec. 15—(Close)—Cities Service common 2.56 @ 2.61; do preferred 64¼ @ 64¾; Pure Oil common 32¾.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—Wheat dropped quickly in value today as a result of radical enlargement of the government estimates of the 1920 yield of grain. On the decline, however, there was good buying attributed to the seaboard. Opening quotations, which ranged from 1¾c to 6c lower, with Dec. 1.64½ to 1.66 and March 1.60½ to 1.63, were followed by a moderate rally in some cases.

Corn, like wheat, underwent a setback in price. After opening ⅞c to 2⅜c lower, including May at 70½ to 71¾, recovered somewhat, but then sagged.

The close was nervous, 2⅞ to 3⅜ net lower with May 69½ to 69⅝.

Oats weakened with other cereals, starting ⅞ to 1c down, May 49¾ to 49⅝, and later sagging more.

Depression of grain and hogs had a bearish effect on provisions.

The close was unsettled, 5c 6½c net lower with Dec. 1.65½ and March 1.58¾ to 1.58¾.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—Close—Wheat: Dec. 1.65½; May 1.58⅝.

Corn: Dec. 68⅝; May 69½; July 70½.

Oats: Dec. 45⅛; May 47⅝; July 47⅝.

CINCINNATI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15—Wheat 2.07 @ 2.08; corn 75 @ 76; oats lower, 49 @ 52; rye lower 1.53 @ 1.54; potatoes 6.50 @ 7.00; hay easy 20.00 @ 27.00.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—(Close)—Wheat: Dec. 1.65½; Mar. 1.58¾.

Corn: May 69½; July 70½.

Oats: May 47⅝; July 47⅝.

Pork: Jan. 22.10.

Lard: Jan. 13.30; May 13.37.

Ribs: Jan. 11.25; May 11.75.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, Dec. 15—Wheat, cash 1.95; Dec. and Mar. 1.95.

Corn, cash 83; Dec. 77.

Oats, cash 52.

Barley 80.

Rye, No. 2, 1.52.

Clover seed, prime cash (1919) 11.65; (1920) 11.80; Dec. 11.80; Jan. 11.95; Feb. 12.10; Mar. 12.10.

Alsike prime cash (1919) 16.00; (1920) 15.50; Dec. 16.00; Mar. 15.85.

Timothy, prime cash (1918) 3.40; (1919) 3.50; Dec. and Jan. and Feb. 3.65.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CINCINNATI

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15—Hogs: Receipts 6500; market slow, 50c lower; heavies 9.25; packers and butchers and butchers 9.25; medium 9.25; medium 9.25; stags 5.00 @ 6.25; heavy fat sows 6.00 @ 7.75; light shippers 9.25; pigs 110 pounds and less, 8.00 @ 9.25.

Cattle: Receipts 500; market weak and lower; steers, good to choice, 9.00 @ 11.00; fair to good 7.00 @ 9.00; common to fair 4.50 @ 7.00; heifers good to choice, 8.50 @10.50; fair to good 6.00 @ 8.50; common to fair 4.00 @ 6.00; cows, good to choice 6.00 @ 7.50; fair to good 5.00 @ 6.00; cutters 3.75 @ 4.50. Calves steady to 50c higher; good to choice 13.50 @ 14.00; fair to good 9.00 @ 13.50; common and large 5.00 @ 8.00.

Sheep: Receipts 200; market steady; good to choice 4.50 @ 5.00; fair to good 3.00 @ 4.50; common 1.50 @ 2.50; bucks 1.50 @ 4.00. Lambs strong; good to choice 11.00 @ 11.50; fair to good 10.00 @ 11.00; seconds 8.00 @ 9.50; common 6.00 @ 7.00.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—(U. S. Bureau of Markets)—Hogs: Receipts 30,000; lights active; others slow, mostly 10c higher than yesterday's average; big packers generally bidding lower than yesterday; top early 9.25; bulk 9.00 @ 9.15; pigs 10 to 15 cents higher; bulk desirable 90 to 130 pound pigs 9.10 @ 9.25.

Cattle: Receipts 9,000; beef steers active and steady; early sales 8.00 @ 12.00; some held higher; butcher stock uneven, steady to weak; canners weak to 25c lower; sales 2.75 @ 3.25; bologna bulls strong, choice kind 6.25; calves steady; best vealers 10.00; stockers and feeders steady to strong.

Sheep: Receipts 15,000; best fat classes and feeders study; others dull; early top fat lambs to shippers and city butchers 12.40; early packing top 11.85; wethers 6.25; fat ewes 5.50; few early sales feeder lambs 10.50 @ 10.75.

PRODUCE MARKET

CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Live Poultry: Old roosters 19; spring ducks 30 @ 38; turkeys 50; geese 30 to 35.

Sweet Potatoes: Kiln dried Georgia No. 1, 1.90 to 2.00.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—Butter unsettled; creamery 33 @ 51.

Eggs unchanged. Receipts 902 cases.

Live poultry lower; fowls 16 @ 24; springs 23; turkeys 38.

COTTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—Cotton consumed during November amounted to 332,057 bales of line and 29,256 of linters, compared with 491,250 of lint and 25,514 of linters in November last year, the census bureau announced today.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15—Alcohol, denatured, 80 @ 84; 70 percent 40. Gasoline, tank wagon 31.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Call money steady; high 7; low 6; ruling rate 7; closing bid 6; offered at 7; last loan 6; bank acceptance 6⅝.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Spot cotton quiet; middling 15.80.

Cotton futures closed steady: Dec. 15.33; Jan. 15.37; Mar. 15.40; May 15.51; July 15.58.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Coffee: No. 7, 6 9-16; futures steady: Mar. 6.71; Sept. 7.65.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Liberty bonds closing prises: 3½'s 90.10; first 4's 86.00; second 4's 85.20; first 4¼'s 86.12; second 4¼'s 85.36; third 4¼'s 87.90; fourth 4¼'s 85.90; victory 3¾'s 95.00; victory 4¾'s 95.00.

SUGAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—There was no further change in raw sugar early today, although the undertone seemed to be a trifle steadier, as there appeared to be a little better inquiry. There were sales of about 20,000 bags of Porto Ricos at 4.63 for centrifugal.

Refined was steady at 8.25 to 8.50 for fine granulated.

Futures were steadier.

Sugar futures closed firm; sales 2500 tons; Jan. 4.15; Mar. 4.29; May 4.44; July 4.64.

Independent Steel Firms Plan To Readjust Wages To Compete With U. S. Steel

PHILADELPHIA, PA., December 15.—It was learned today that independent steel companies in an effort to compete for orders with the United States Steel Corporation are planning to readjust wages about January 1, so as to keep their plants in operation. No official announcement has been made by any one concern, but it is understood the movement is general among independent companies.

The officials of the Coatesville, Pennsylvania, works of the Midvale Steel Company and of the Lukens Steel Company at the same place, are informing their men the plants are not operating at a profit and suggesting to the workers it would be wise for them to absorb some of the alleged losses to the companies in order to avoid suspension of operations. It was explained the United States Steel Corporation is making plates at $2.65 a hundred pounds, compared with $3.00 by the independents.

A report that the Lukens Steel Company had posted a notice reducing wages 25 per cent, effective January 1, was denied by the company.

Bethlehem Steel Must Be Erected Under 'Open Shop' Policy

NEW YORK, December 15.—Eugene G. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, took the stand this afternoon in New York's "building trust" inquiry to reply to charges that his concern was sponsoring the "open shop" by withholding steel from builders from employing union labor.

Mr. Grace told the joint legislative committee conducting the investigation that it was the policy of the Bethlehem Steel Company not to sell any fabricated steel unless it was to be erected under "open shop" conditions.

Mr. Grace asserted, however, that although his corporation was a member of the National Steel Fabricators' Association, it had acted independently of the association's open shop program.

Gas Question Up Tonight

The ordinances fixing the gas rate at the old price, and authorizing a bond issue of $100,000 to build additions to Hempstead hospital are the only matters outside of the regular routine which are expected to be brought up for consideration of Council at its meeting tonight.

Both ordinances are on the schedule for a second reading at tonight's session which is expected to be short as a number of the council members desire to get away early so as to attend the Elks Charity ball.

Well Known Here

Attorney George Long, former state senator from Miami county, who is critically ill of pneumonia in a Columbus hospital, is well known here. He married a former Portsmouth woman, Miss Weller who lived on Cemetery hill. Her father was Standard oil representative in Portsmouth for some years. Attorney Long was also principal of the local high school at one time. He is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Maude Weller Carver of Troy, who is well known here.

Donate To Salvation Army Fund

The Boy Scouts of Troop No. 5 who have been saving and selling waste paper have voted unanimously to give $5 out of the proceeds of the sale to the Salvation Army Christmas Dinner fund and a check for the amount has been mailed to Captain Phillips.

AUSTRIA GETS IN

GENEVA, December 15.—Austria was elected a member of the League of Nations by the assembly of the league today.

OBITUARY

John Bush

Death about 11:30 o'clock Wednesday noon claimed John Bush, 29, the final summons coming at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manlius Bush, 3935 Stanton avenue, New Boston. Death was caused by congestion of the brain after a fifteen days illness.

The young man was well known in New Boston and his many friends will be sorry to learn of his demise. Besides the parents the deceased has four brothers, Herb and Warren of Greenup and Will and Manlius of New Boston.

Funeral services will be held probably Thursday with burial in Greenup county, Ky.

Francis Kasee

Death about 9 o'clock Tuesday night claimed Francis Kasee, the final summons coming at the home of his brother, Charles C. Kasee, 1407 Harrisonville avenue, New Boston. He had been ill several years, but only been seriously for six weeks. Death was caused by Bright's disease and tuberculosis.

Mr. Kasee was a native of Scioto county, being born at Lombardsville, on the West Side. He was about forty years of age. During the last few years he worked as bricklayer for Contractors S. Monroe and Sons.

Surviving are his father, Henry Kasee, and his brother, Charles Kasee, the father making his home with his son.

Funeral services will be held Thursday with burial probably on the West Side.

"The House of Courtesy" — The Fashion, Gallia and Gay — "Where Style Is Inexpensive."

The Biggest Sale of All Sales In Portsmouth

Our Appeal Is Short And To The Point.

The Reason of This Sale Is Simple and Direct.

Prior to opening our new store of "Kline's," which is fast approaching completion, we are desirous of disposing of all stocks on hand in order to place only brand new and seasonable merchandise into the new store, and **Drastic Reductions** go into effect at once to make short work.

This Timely Event just before Xmas will, no doubt, be pleasing news **to the Thrifty Shopper** who wants to be stylishly and correctly dressed at a minimum expenditure.

The garment you have longed for but hesitated of paying the original price can now be had at 1-3 to 1-2 OFF.

The reductions are final, and will continue after Xmas, until stocks are disposed of. **No further Reduction To Be Had. You Can Now Shop With Ease.**

Over $50,000.00 worth of merchandise, consisting of Ladies Fall and Winter Suits, Coats, Wraps, Dresses, Skirts, Blouses, Sweaters, Petticoats, Furs, Fur Coats and Millinery must be cleared, and cleared soon.

Our well-earned reputation for fair dealings to all, consistent with style, quality and personal service, will no doubt compel your immediate attention and preference will result in quick disposal.

To accomplish this aim, we offer everything (without a single exception) throughout the store at from **1-3 to 1-2 OFF.**

Original price tags remain on each and every garment. Discounts figured at time of purchase.

Of Special Note

Sales Must Be Final

No Exchanges Nor Returns

You'll therefore please shop carefully. Sale begins tomorrow at 8:30 A. M. sharp.

There is no extra charge for slight alterations. This we shall grant gratis in order to make it a genuine sale and worth while attending to.

OUR NEW STORE OF "KLINE'S"

Will soon be ready for occupancy and rank among the largest and most complete specialty shops in southern Ohio.

The Fashion — Gallia and Gay

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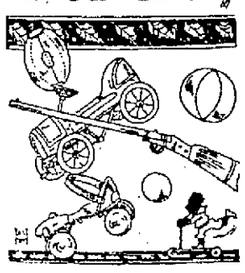
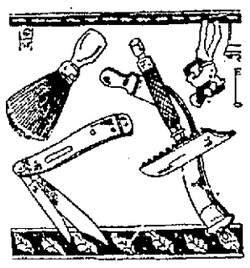
For Boys and Girls



We have everything the growing boy and girl wishes for. Bicycles, Velocipedes, Wagons, Sleds, Skates, Scooters, Footballs, Air Rifles and many other articles that will delight them.

For Him



Every boy and even Dad wants a good pocket knife. All prices. Dad likes something useful so why not get him a good shaving set, pocket knfie, fountain pen, rifle, hunting coat auto robe, Vacuum Bottle or fishing tackle.

For Her

An electric washer or a Fireless Gas Range would make mother's work easier. She would appreciate some "Wear Ever" Aluminum ware, silverware, percolator, casserole, electric or gas iron or some Pyrex or enamel ware.

"Hardware Gifts Are Useful Gifts"

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OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED

Officers for the ensuing year were installed at the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors Wednesday afternoon. Close to 100 members, their husbands and children, enjoyed a chicken dinner at the noon hour after which the installation took place. The officers for 1921 are Past President, Mrs. J. C. Mercer; President, Mrs. H. E. Reed; Vice President, Mrs. O. Lane; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. H. C. Shaw; Senior Sister, Mrs. L. Crooksanks; Junior Sister, Mrs. D. Bush; Guard, Mrs. H. Hazlett; Chairman Executive Committee, Mrs. J. C. Mercer; 1st Member Ex. Com., Mrs. A. Moore; 2nd Mem. Ex. Com., Mrs. E. Wilkerson; Correspondent, Mrs. Frank Hasselman; Musician Mrs. S. Bourne; Insurance, Secretary Mrs. Wm. Withers; Links, Charity, Mrs. M. F. Pinson; Truth, Mrs. B. Elkins; Friendship, Mrs. A. H. Workman; Banner Bearer, Mrs. B. S. Fugitt.

FLUE FIRE

An alarm from box 153 at 12:40 Wednesday afternoon called the East End and Seventh street fire companies to the home of Oscar Lewis, 2366 Ninth street. A defective flue caused a small fire in the roof. Joseph Fleils owns the property.

Hazelbeck will insure you.

NEW REPUBLIC PROCLAIMED

The Funfkirchen district, 105 miles southwest of Budapest, which was awarded to Hungary by the peace treaty, has been declared the republic of Baranya under the protection of Serbia, which promises military aid in the event that Hungary attempts to occupy the district, according to dispatches from Agram.

Britain Attempted

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Mr. Denman indicated that his insistence that the shipping board be free from British influence had more to do with his resignation as chairman of the board than any other one thing.

To suport his charge of attempts of the British mission to influence the policies of the board, Mr. Denman said that in April, 1917, when he was attempting to organize an administrative board in New York to function with the shipping board, "on a purely American basis," he discovered that without his knowledge Sir Connop Guthrie, a member of the mission that had just arrived in this country, was made a member of the advisory body.

"I don't know how he got on that board—it all happened between noon and half past three one afternoon—but I can tell you how he got off," Mr. Denman declared. "I learned that three or four members of the British mission had attended the session at which the selection was made. Afterwards the shipping board had a warm session. It lasted twentyminutes and all that had been transacted at the previous session was wiped out.

"We wanted British co-operation, but we didn't want Great Britain to influence our board until we had gotten things under way. We were still in the air as to what we wanted to do and the policy of British in this connection seemed very extraordinary to me."

WASHINGTON LOSES POPULAR MATRON

Mrs. Frances Alton Connolly.

Mrs. Frances Alton Connolly, considered one of the national capital's prettiest and most popular young matrons, will shortly move to New York, where her husband is engaged in business. Mrs. Connolly was a Washington girl and made her debut at the capital.

Cable Row Aired Before Senators

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 15.—Disposition of the former German cables seized by the allies and refusal of the government to permit the Western Union Telegraph Company to land its Barbadoes cable at Miami, Florida, were inquired into today by a special senate committee.

Acting Secretary Davis, of the state department, said with reference to the German cables that the American government had insisted that the United States had "a right to a direct connection iwth Germany such as we had before the war."

"At the peace conference," Mr. Davis said, "Great Britain, Japan and France contended that the German cables were prizes of war. It was the American contention that teey should be returned practically to their former use. An agreement was finallly reached that Germany should cede the cables to the allied powers, offsetting their value against the reparation to be exacted. Their future status was left for later determination."

No communication between the United States and Germany is now available, Mr. Davis said, except over British controlled lines.

With reference to the Western Union Barbadoes cable, Mr. Davis said President Wilson had refused to permit this line to be landed on American soil because it would connect with the system of the Western Telegraph Company, of Great Britain, which enjoyed "monopolistic privileges in Brazil from which Americans weer excluded."

"The president," said Mr. Davis, "decided that the Western Union application for the Miami landing should be postponed pending the international communications conference when the question of monopoly was to be discussed. It appeared that the Western Union intended to disregard this warning and the president took steps through the navy department to prevent the landing."

The secretary told the committee that the action taken by the government to prevent the landing of the Western Union cable was "in conformity with American precedent and tradition."

RUETHER FOR MARQUARD

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Rube Marquard was given in an even trade by the Brooklyn Nationals to the Cincinnati club for Walter H. (Dutch) Ruether here today.

Local fans will be surprised to learn of this trade as Ruether is supposed to be out of Marquard's class. In 1919 Ruether was the star hurler in the National. Now he is traded for a second string pitcher. Marquard was bought from the Indianapolis team by the Giants and he won many games for McGraw before being shunted to Brooklyn.

Porters Enjoy Real Feast

A very enjoyable evening was the verdict of members of the staff of porters employed in the Selby Shoe plant last evening after they had feasted on 'possum and all the goodies that usually accompany such a bird.

Twenty one members had been invited to this party as guests of Homer Selby, W. B. Altsman and John Chamblin. After the boys had filled up on the offering of the evening, speeches, singing, piano playing and dancing completed the evenings program. Every one present reported a good time.

Is Held For Investigation

W. S. Wiley, who lives at Seventh and Broadway streets, in the East End, was ordered to report at the mayor's office this afternoon and at 3:30 was closeted with Chief Distel. He will be held for investigation. Wiley was fined $500 Tuesday in municipal court for manufacturing whiskey.

It is said the police questioned Wiley about a still recently found in a Scioto Trail home.

RAILWAY CLERKS HOLD ELECTION

New officers were elected at the special meeting of the Order of Railway Clerks held Tuesday night in K. of P. hall. The election resulted as follows: President, George W. Handy; Vice-President, Mrs. Mabel Watkins; Financial Secretary-Treasurer, Thomas O'Keefe; Recording Secretary, Mildred Williamson; Chaplain, Angelo Switalski; Chairman of Executive Committee, J. F. Benjamin; Sergeant-At-Arms, H. M. Sprecker; Inner Guard, J. W. Benjamin; Outer Guard, Ethel Clausing; Chairman of Protective Committee, A. M. Cross; Alternate, W. F. Allen.

After the election a lunch was served by the women of the organization. A. M. Cross was presented with a gold chain and charm, a token of appreciation for his services of the past year.

To Meet Thursday

The Mother's Club of Campbell Avenue School will hold a meeting Thursday afternoon at the school. Business of importance in regard to Christmas charity work will be taken up and a short program will include:

Talk "How the Mothers Club can help the Schools"—Miss Laura Long.

Song by Miss Roberta Davis's school.

Reading, "A Christmas Ballard"—Miss Helen Scott.

Discussion by club.

Lucasville, Ohio,
December 10, 1920

The Security Bank,
Portsmouth, Ohio.
Gentlemen:

You will find $2.00 enclosed. I would like to join the Christmas Club. The $2 will pay me up for eight weeks at 25c per week.

My age is ten years.
My name is:

P. S. Please send me pass book to Lucasville, Ohio R. D. No. 1.
Name furnished on request.

THE GIRLS AND BOYS ARE JOINING OUR POPULAR

CHRISTMAS .... CLUB ....

Lucasville, Ohio.
December 10, 1920.

The Security Bank,
Portsmouth, O.
Dear Sirs:

You will find $2 enclosed. I would like to join Christmas Club at 25c per week. The $2 will pay me up for eight weeks.

I am a little girl 8 years old.
My name is:

P. S. Please send me pass book to Lucasville, Ohio, R. R. No. 1.
Name furnished on request.

THE above letters are characteristic of many we are receiving from the boys and girls of Portsmouth and Scioto county. The lessons of thrift that have been taught the youth are bearing fruit.

OUR CLUB NOW OPEN

Classes To Suit Every Purse--Join TOMORROW

We are especially gratified at the Liberal Response we are receiving and the club for 1921 promises to far exceed the one of 1920.

Resources Over Three Million Dollars

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REALTY DEALS

Frank N. Bihlman to John Wilson, lot on Third street $,1, etc.

Smith Littlejohn to James R. Craycraft, two acres Porter township, $1, etc.

Kate M. Comins to Harry E. Unger, lot on Grandview avenue, $1, etc.

John R. Smith to Martin J. Wendelken, lot A. T. Holcomb addition, $1, etc.

Martin J. Wendelken to W. W. Bauer, lot on Summit street, $1, etc.

Blanch S. Watkins to C. C. Elhoff, lot on Timmonds avenue, $1, etc.

Eliza F. Walker to Amanda Horsley, lot on Mill street, $1, etc.

Charles Smithline to Olhe Hammond, 10 acres Green township, $1, etc.

Robert F. Bayerl, trustee, to Mary E. Shaw-Curry, lot Valley View addition, $1,etc.

James A. Wood to Joseph M. Babcock, lot Dewey avenue, $1, etc.

John G. Busl to Frank J. Busl, lot on Front street, $1, etc.

Oscar Mowery to James G. Bennett, lot on Eighth street, $1, etc.

John Shonkwiler to James G. Bennett, lot on Offnere street, $1, etc.

S. G. Huffman to O. T. Wiseman, six lots Bloom township, $1, etc.

Lee Cyrus to Orpha Cyrus, lot on Second street, $1, etc.

Harry W. Miller, trustee, to Jess Davis, lot in Nirvana addition, $1, etc.

Escom Wiley to L. V. Neff, 52 acres Jefferson township, $1, etc.

Plumbers Nominate

First nomination of officers was held by the Journeymen Plumbers' Union Tuesday night. The second nomination will take place next Tuesday night and the election on Tuesday, Dec. 28. The officers nominated last night were: President, P. J. Tiveman, Joseph Nolan; Vice-President, Charles Stamm, Will Cline; Recording Secretary, C. D. Welling; Financial Secretary, Edward Switalski; Treasurer, Howard Monk; Sentinel, Will Cline.

To Appear In Court

P. E. Roush, contracting painter, 646 Ninth street, will be required to appear before Judge Small in Municipal court Thursday to meet a charge of disorderly conduct made against him by John G. Reilly.

How Man Spends His Time.

A French statistician has been dabbling with figurps to find out just what man does with that precious thing called time. He concludes that at the age of 50 years the average man has slept 9,000 days, worked 6,500, walked 800, amused himself 4,000, spent 1,500 eating, and was ill 500 days.

TUBERCULOSIS OR CHRISTMAS SEALS

HEALTHY NEW YEAR

The following letter was received a few days ago:

State of Ohio, Ohio State Sanitorium, Mount Vernon. Frank C. Anderson, M. D. Supr.

Miss R. N. Bowman, Public Health Nurse, Portsmouth, O. Dec. 5, 1920.

Dear Madam: Harrison Biggs a patient in this institution, is badly in need of clothing which must be furnished OR WE WILL HAVE TO ASK THAT HE RETURN HOME.

Following is a list: 2 suits heavy underwear, 4 pair stockings, 2 suits pajamas, 1 suit clothes, age 13; 1 winter cap, 1 pair felt slippers, 1 bath robe, 2 over shirts, 1 pair shoes, 1 pair rubbers.

Kindly advise us if you will furnish these or give us authority to out-fit him in Mt. Vernon.

Very truly yours,
F. C. ANDESON, Supt.

This letter is only a typical letter, many of which are received in the course of a year. The money raised by the sale of Christmas Seals pays for such clothing.

This year the sale of Christmas seals has been very slow. Only a small number have been sold, so far, as compared with over one hundred and seventy thousand in Portsmouth last year. Without money these tuberculosis cases cannot be cared for. Unless many more seals are sold, the boy, spoken of in the letter above, will have to be sent home, to spread tuberculosis and death among his own family, and others. Other patients, who have tuberculosis, will not be sent to Sanitariums but will be left to spread the disease at home. Milk and eggs will not be provided to undernourished children, as has been done in the self. Imagine one of these deaths to be funds with which to buy them. Tuberculosis will be allowed to stalk, almost unchecked in Portsmouth, for there wil be no money with which to fight it.

Instead of deaths from consumption decreasing, as they are now doing, they will multiply, costing Portsmouth not the little $3,000.00 we are asking, but ten times that amount in sickness, funerals and doctor's bills. Count up the cost of the sickness, death and funeral of one person—multiply it by a hundred deaths, and see for yourself two years, for there will be no one of your own family, and then figure the cost.

It's Christmas Seals or tuberculosis. It is up to you. Which shall it be?

Seals are on sale in all the principle stores.

Young women who are willing to help in this cause are needed to sell seals at hotels, in banks and at the Postofficc. Call 1715 if you wish to volunteer.

THE CHRISTMAS SEAL COMMITTEE.

MAYBE THE FROG HAD REAL FEAST

When Tris Speaker, Les Nunamaker and others were on their recent hunting and fishing trip at Rice Lake, Ontario, Clay Folger, one of the arty, decided to go still fishing and was told that the best bait was a frog.

He didn't realize that tiny frogs were meant, so he caught himself a giant bullfrog and baited his hook by inserting its barb through the frog's hind legs, so that froggie would jump around and attract the attention of the fish.

After h had been out an hour without the sign of a bite a native came paddling by and asked what luck.

"None," replied Folger, showing the frog with which he had baited the hook. "I haven't caught a f

"You never can tell," laughed the native. "You haven't looked inside your frog yet."

To Quench Thirst.

An invalid whose mouth becomes dry and parched during the night, or a fever patient, will find that an orange, cut into small pieces and placed within easy reach of the bed so that a piece may be held in the mouth from time to time, will be more beneficial than water, says Good Housekeeping. It has the added advantage that a patient can manage the pieces of orange more easily than he could a glass of water.

BELIEVE DOG THAT BIT SCHROEDER ON KNEE AFFLICTED WITH RABIES

Motorcycle policeman Stanley Schroeder had an exciting battle with a bull dog this morning and succeeded in killing the animal but not before it sank its teeth in its left knee. It is believed the dog suffered from rabies and its head has been forwarded to the State Health Department of Columbus. Dr. O. R. Micklerhwait cauterized Schroeder's wound.

The dog, which was owned by Joseph Hatfield of 807 Washington street also bit several dogs and they have been tied up by their owners. The dog frothed at the mouth and snapped at everything in sight this morning and those who saw the animal have little hope about but what it was afflicted with rabies. It had been muzzled by the owner, but the dog succeeded in wresting the muzzle off its mouth and when Schroeder killed the dog the muzzle was dangling from the animal's neck. He trailed to dog to Fifth street just below Washington. When the animal ran upon a front porch there Schroeder thought the dog would leave the porch on the west end but instead it jumped over the porch railing and bit him on the knee before he could sent a bullet into the dog's head.

An investigation showed that the caining belonged to Joseph Hatfield of Washington street. He says he played with the dog yesterday and it showed no signs of being mad. He says he had kept it muzzled for some time and the only theory he can advance for it developing rabies is that the dog stole a pound of cheese Sunday and ate all of it before being detected.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS ELECT OFFICERS

Progressive Camp of Royal Neighbors of America met in regular session last evening at Maccabee hall. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected:

Oracle—Margaret Brodbeck.
Vice Oracle—Mary Shump.
Chancellor—Maggie Deatley.
Recorder—Elva Elwell.
Receiver—Anna Smith.
Marshal—Nettie Wood.
Inner Sentinel—Mrs. George Floyd.
Outer Sentinel—Mrs. Florence Fox.
Manager—William Bliss.

The next meeting will be held December 28.

SOCIETY

"Betty's Christmas House Party," a comedy full of amusing and thrilling situations, was successfully given last evening before an audience of about four hundred at the Second Presbyterian church, the girls of the Westminster Circle taking part, this being their annual endeavor to raise money for the support of the missionary in Korea.

Many predicaments centered upon Mrs. J. Vaughn Finney as Bridget, the maid, who was compelled to impersonate Miss Mary Ogden, Betty's aunt, who was to chaperone the house-party and who failed to appear at the last minute. Betty, the hostess was enacted by Katherine Ridenour, who had for her guests Elaine, Nancy and Violet, taken by Eleanor Ellison, Edith Cunliffe and Helen Shriver.

The boys were Ned, Jim and Jack, taken by James Scott, George Prince and Moffett Edwards. Other characters were Miss Ogden, Lillian Freund; Marie, the maid, Bertha Blood; Prof. Telusamore, Lacy Harold. The playlet was characterized with music by a chorus of forty voices, a fashion review by Bertha Moore, Dorothy Freund and Susan Gould, and shadowgraphs by Carl Roth, Douglas Knowles and Roberta Hennessy.

Trinity choir will meet for rehearsal Friday night at 7:15 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wikoff on Gallia street, instead of at the church as previously announced.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace of Wheeling are spending a few days with Portsmouth relatives.

After a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice of Timmonds avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rice left today for a visit in Hillsboro and Cincinnati before going to their home in Cleveland.

Artificial Eyes.

Today there are probably more artificial eyes in the world than there have ever been before, yet so excellent is the workmanship used in their manufacture that they can very seldom be detected. The artificial eye, however, will not serve the wearer forever. There are certain orbital fluids which destroy the enamel, thus involving considerable expense for renewal. In view of this, celluloid is often used instead of glass, and lasts longer. The minutest details are carefully reproduced even in the veins on the eyeball and the broken color of a hazel iris.

Buddhist's Wandering Leader.

Dalai Lama, the religious head of the Buddhist faith, was so overcome by the fact that infidels had trodden the streets of the forbidden city that he fled to the open country, and for many years has been a wanderer in northern China.

Mr. Selby Re-Elected

At the annual meeting of the Anti Saloon League of Ohio held in Columbus Tuesday George D. Selby of this city was re-elected vice president.

Qualities That Appeal.

There is no room in the universe for the least contempt or pride; but only for a gentle and a reverent heart.—James Martineau.

SUN Last Times Tonight — Northland Beauties in "Catching Up" — A Musical Comedy Triumph — Added Attractions — Vode-vil" — Tyson & DeCosta, Laughs — Betty Babb, Topical Songs — Sessue Hayakawa in His Greatest "An Arabian Lnight"

..THE MOVIES..

A photo drama you positively should not miss

A Western With a Real Punch if "The Valley of Tomorrow" with William Russell at the Temple Tonight. A Screaming Comedy Too.

Big Bill Russell has never appeared in a picture better suited to his talent than the one in which he appears at the Temple tonight. "The Valley of Tomorrow" is a strictly Western picture with the usual amount of fast shooting and hard riding and action is its slogan.

The scenes are laid entirely in the great outdoors and the story—well, the story is too good to miss.

Another of those famous two reel Universal comedies hit the laughter spot and explodes it with a bang.

Corinne Griffith, The Beautiful Vitagraph Star Made A Big Hit With Audiences at The Eastland Theatre Last Night, in "The Broadway Bubble." Tonight Will be Your First Chance to see it at the Exhibit—Also Monty Banks in a Screaming Comedy "The Rare Bird."

There are thousands of women who are "tired of doing nothing" and long for a career. Adrienne Landreth was one of them. But when she told her husband about her desire to go on the stage he shook his head firmly.

"There is a career for you," he said "a splendid career—the glorious career of motherhood."

Now, Adrienne's love of gayety and adventure and her footlight aspirations were part of an outlook on life which did not include children. She abhorred them, she said. So that her husband's reply drove her in a rage to a deception which brought tragic consequences.

Adrienne was not a model wife or even a good wife. She carried on an affair with an old flame, now a famous theatrical producer, while she deserted her house and husband in order to follow the stage.

It is in the bursting of "The Broadway Bubble" that Adrienne shows her true colors.

This Vitagraph screen production which may be seen at the Eastland theatre tonight is unusual in every respect, one of its features being the fact that the star assumes two character parts, that of the wife and her twin sister. In this way audiences have twice the opportunity and pleasure of watching Miss Griffith as she presents these two contrasting figures.

Bessie Barriscale is Here Tonight in "Kitty Kelly M. D." A Delightful Comedy Drama of the West. See it at the Lincoln Tonight. Along with a Harold Lloyd Comedy.

Bessie Barriscale gives another proof of her versatility in "Kitty Kelly M. D." her new Robertson-Cole release, distributed by Exhibitors Mutual. The popular blonde star's success in this production is unique, inasmuch as the role is different from anything she has essayed for some time. Heretofore, the beautiful Bessie has specialized in society dramas but in "Kitty Kelly M D." she assumes the role of a woman doctor in a western mining town, and the change is decidedly refreshing.

When the harny-handed miners of Fracas, Arizona, heard that a woman doctor was coming into their midst, the boys anticipated of having a lot of fun with the feminist, changed their minds when a very chic, very pretty and very much alive young lady stepped into their midst. Every male in town quickly developed a tummy-ache, liver complaint or incipient tuberculosis.

The dramatic element of the story is excellently worked out, while the tension is relieved by many humorous episodes in which Miss Barriscale projects her delightfully sprightly personality with telling effect.

The Lloyd comedy is a real scream and it will send you away in good humor.

Winter Bouquets, Wreaths, Holly and Festooning. Buy early and avoid the rush.
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NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
The Trustees of Madison Township have filed their petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, for the purpose f transferring $50.00 in their township Treasury from the Poor Fund to the Hawk Fund and that said petition will be for hearing on the 24th day of December, 1920, or as soon thereafter as it shall be convenient for the Court to hear the same.
JOHN CONKEL
CHARLEY McCAIN
FRANK DEBO
15-3 Weds.

FOWLER'S
KODAK FINISHING
BY MAIL

Georges Carpentier, The Wonderful French Prize Fighter, Who is Soon to Meet Jack Dempsey, it at The Strand Tonight and Tomorrow in "The Wonder Man." Don't Overlook This One.

Georges Carpentier, idol of France, whose notable record in the boxing ring has won him fame and fortune and whose fascinating personality has made him the idol of two continents, will be the chief attraction at the Strand in "The Wonder Man," a Robertson-Cole super special production, for a two day's showing, beginning tonight.

The picture promises an entertainment unique in the realm of the cinema art. Unlike the previous efforts of producers to bring champions of the prize ring before the public on the silver screen in the roles of dare-devil heroes or in hair-raising serials Georges Carpentier is given as a vehicle an intriguing romance of American society, with himself in the role of a smart, well-dressed man about town.

The fact that his gentlemanly qualities and the record of valor in the world war has won the admiration of all classes makes the advent of this popular youth into the picture world as a matinee idol a commendable achievement.

JOSEPH MOORE in "THE WHITE RIDER"
A Mystery Drama of the Southwest

The Best Western Picture of the Season is Coming to the Eastland Theatre Tonight and Thursday in "The White Rider." A Super-production of Thrills, Suspense and a Knock-out Finish—Also Jimmy Aubrey in "The Decorator."

Program Tonight

A—Feature—Eileen Sedgwick in "The White Rider".

B—Special Added Feature—"The Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes."

C—Jimmy Aubrey in "The Decorator."

An unusually good program awaits patrons of the Eastland Theatre tonight and Thursday, offering a double feature bill with a special added reel of unusual interest. The feature picture, "The White Rider" is a thrilling mystery drama of the southwest, with a big punch in every reel. It also has an element of mystery that makes it impossible for even the most experienced movie fan to guess the final outcome until the very last ten feet of the picture. If you want the biggest thrill you ever had you'll surely want to see "The White Rider." The other feature offering is the funny comedian, Jimmy Aubrey in the second of his big special comedies, "The Decorator." Every one remembers this star in his first comedy, "The Trouble Hunter", which we showed not long ago and advance reports say this one is even better. Another feature on tomorrow's bill will be Robert Bruce's "The Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes", something different in the motion picture art. If you are looking for good entertainment, we will recommend this show as one of the best.

Two Big Nights of Thrills and Laughter
EASTLAND THEATRE
STARTING TONIGHT
The Greatest Western Picture of the Season
"The White Rider"
Starring
EILEEN SEDGWICK AND JOE MOORE
The Picture of 1000 Thrills
See Wild Riding Down the Mountain.
Dare Devil Stunts
Death Defying Feats.
AND FOR A FUN FEATURE
JIMMY AUBREY in
"THE DECORATER"
A Cyclone of Joy
Special Added Feature
"The Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes"
EASTLAND ORCHESTRA SUPREME
COMING FRIDAY
Viola Dana
—IN—
"BLACK-MAIL"

Arcana Tonight, William Russell in "Twins of Suffering Creek." Also A Sunshine Comedy.

For tonight Mgr. Potts has one of the best Western features that has appeared here for sometime. William Russell is the star and he is to be seen in "Twins of Suffering Creek." This is one of those typical westerns that contains thrills a plenty and with Russell as the star every one of his admirers know what to expect. It is a splendid picture breathing the real spirit of the west. The comedy scream is a two reel Sunshine farce entitled "Through the Keyhole."

Tomorrow's feature will be "The Birth of a Race" a big special production for which the admission will be 15c and 25 cents. Don't miss it.

NOW GETS 48 EGGS A DAY INSTEAD OF 3

Mr. Vincent Cured His Hens of the Loafing Habit. Easily Done.

"My egg supply has increased wonderfully. Early in January, I started using Don Sung. I had been getting about 3 eggs every other day from 70 hens. By the end of January I was getting 20 eggs a day. In two weeks more, I was getting 48 a day."—O. W. Vincent, South, Ky.

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Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself and pays you a good profit besides, simply tell us and your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) is a scientific tonic and conditioner. It is easily given in the feed, improves the hen's health and makes her stronger and more active. It tones up the egg-laying organs, and gets the eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather.

You can obtain Don Sung from your druggist or poultry remedy dealer, or send $1.04 (includes war tax) for a package by mail. Burrell-Dugger Co., 231 Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

Noted Physician In Columbus

COLUMBUS, O., December 15.—Dr. Cyril Haas, former chief physician of the International Hospital at Adena, Cilicia, for whose recovery from illness a Turkish general is said to have once asked the entire population of a city to pray, addressed convocation at Ohio State University today.

Dr. Haas is in Columbus on a tour of the important medical colleges of the country.

LUMBER PLANT DESTROYED

UNIONTOWN, PA., December 15.—Fire early today destroyed the plant of the Fairchance Lumber Company at Fairchance, six miles from here, with an estimated loss of $50,000. State police patrolling the district believe it is another act of the gang of incendiaries who have been operating in Fayette county for the past few months.

SWITCH ENGINE TURNS OVER

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 15—One man was killed and two others injured, one perhaps fatally when a New York Central railroad switch engine turned over at Berea road and Detroit avenue early today. R. S. Hunter, 30, switchman, was crushed to death when caught beneath the engine. Thomas Whitford, fireman, was perhaps fatally injured.

HEADS MILK FIRM

CLEVELAND—H. W. Ingersoll, Elyria, reelected president Ohio Farmers' Co-operation Milk Co.

STRANGLES SELF WITH SHOESTRING

COLUMBUS—Using a shoestring to strangle herself, Mrs. Elizabeth Peters 65, Bellevue, committed suicide in sanitarium.

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Don't draw any money out of the bank! Don't draw your pay in advance! Don't scrimp yourself in any way—select from our beautiful stock—pay as much as you desire and pay the balance after Christmas.

JUST THINK OF THE CONVENIENCE OF A "CHARGE ACCOUNT" FOR CHRISTMAS

Just think of being able to buy such wonderful gifts—such remarkable gifts—simply by paying a small amount down and the balance after Christmas! You couldn't give anything more appropriate than gifts of Diamonds, Watches, Silverware or Jewelry selected from our superb stock! Regular payments don't start until after Christmas.

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FATHER SAVES HIS CHILD FROM BEING BURNED TO DEATH

Mary Agnes, little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Hanna, who live on Sixth street, near Chillicothe, was painfully burned this morning and had a close call from meeting death in tragic form, when her clothes caught fire from a gas stove.

Dr. Hanna, who was near the child, succeeded in putting out the flames, but not until all of the outer clothing of his child had been burned off.

In smothering the flames both of his hands were badly burned, and Dr. Hanna will not be able to use them for possibly a week.

Two Fires Last Night

Fire of unknown origin Tuesday afternoon shortly after five o'clock almost completely destroyed a two-story frame alley house at the rear of 1520 Findlay street which was owned and occupied by Mrs. Barbara Seal, an aged widow.

Mrs. Seal was visiting with neighbors at the time and when the fire was discovered the building was a mass of flames. Two fire companies responded to an alarm but the blaze had gained such headway that the efforts of the firemen were useless. The fire entailed a loss of $1,000 on the building and contents with $400 insurance. Mrs. Seal saved only a small portion of her household goods.

Companies from two fire stations were called to the Trailton addition Scioto Trail, Tuesday night to combat a grass fire which is supposed to have started from sparks from a passing locomotive.

Fanned by a stiff breeze the fire spread rapidly and for a time threatened the plant of the Heer Engine company and a number of homes in the vicinity, including several of the new homes under construction by The Portsmouth Home Building Co.

No damage resulted although the fire laddies had a strenuous fight for a time to prevent the flames communicating to nearby buildings.

Hazelbeck will insure you.

Want Intangible Property Brought Under Taxation

CLEVELAND, O., December 15.—The Ohio State Grange, in forty-eighth annual convention here, will probably take action favoring efforts to bring in- of the members of the legislative and o the members o the legislative and tax- taxation committee announced today. It was definitely stated that the proposal to require securities to bear the assessors' stamp as evidence of listing for taxation has been given up.

The convention is to be asked to endorse the formation of a million dollar holding company to unify the state-wide system of co-operative grain elevators owned by the farmers of Ohio.

Such a corporation is to be formed in the spring by the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation and the state Grange, provided the grange indorses the undertaking, officials said today.

It is planned to begin with a capitalization of one million dollars and to enlarge as the operations of the company grow.

The grange itself would not own stock in the corporation inasmuch as it is a secret order for social and educational purposes only.

Today's session of the convention were devoted mostly to conferring of degrees and other fraternal work.

Marysville Man Succeeds Hough

COLUMBUS—Lieutenant Colonel Frank D. Henderson, Marysville, appointed brigadier general to succeed General Benson W. Hough.

CHURCH TO AID CHILDREN

COLUMBUS—City church federations of state offer support to children's relief work in Europe.

EGGS TAKE DROP IN CINCY

CINCINNATI—Sudden slump in demand for eggs forces drop of 10 cents a dozen.

Flier Strikes Auto; 2 Killed

COLUMBUS—Harry D. Carson, 53, and his son, Edward, 27, killed when Pennsylvania flier strikes automobile.

Freight Train Hits Auto; 2 Die

NEWARK, O.—Charles Wills, Newark and Wilbur Priest, Granville, killed when Pennsylvania freight train strikes automobile.

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Jack Dempsey Knocks Out Brennan In Twelfth Round

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, knocked out Bill Brennan, of Chicago, in the twelfth round at Madison Square Garden last night.

Before he fell under the punches of the man from Colorado, Brennan gave thirteen thousand spectators a tremendous thrill.

For eleven rounds he held his ground against the champion. At times he even outfought Dempsey, wading in grimly under showers of blows, risking everything on the one-chance smash that would mean fame and fortune to him.

Has Crowd With Him

For the greater part of the eleven rounds he had the crowd, society women, clubmen, business men, rounders, gamblers, and the riff-raff that follow the fighting game, upon their feet cheering for him.

Once or twice there were fleeting moments when it looked as if the heavy-weight title, richest prize in all listiana, might change hands.

The champion was bleeding from a cut behind his ear and from his mouth. His silk white trunks were smeared with red. Brennan, a sturdy big man with a mashed-in nose, the result of many fights, was no helpless calf tossed into a corral with a tiger.

Most of the people had gone to the garden, paying probably over $200,000, and perhaps more, into the boxes expecting to see a brief flurry of brown fists and the quick collapse of the Chicago man.

Dempsey came in the ring in full ring regalia, with a towel around his shoulders. He entered by way of Brennan's corner, coming up unexpectedly on Brennan and shaking him by the hands. Jack took a brief glance at Brennan's bandages and extended his own hands for inspection.

Haukop was introduced as the referee and brought the men together in the middle of the ring for a brief explanation of the rules as Humphreys read a telegram from Jess Willard challenging the winner. The crowd hooted.

Not over three rounds was the general prediction. The third came and passed quickly, and Brennan was still upright in the ring swaying his huge fists desperately in the direction of the lithe Dempsey.

But the champion was slowly cutting him down in the clinches. When their heads were locked together Dempsey used his hands as a man would use a sling-shot batting Brennan swiftly on either side of the jaw with short blows and shook Brennan down to his toes.

They were not apparent at a distance perhaps, but they were doing deadly work. The end came suddenly.

One minute and fifty-seven seconds of the twelfth round had gone and Brennan was out there plodding, plodding in while Dempsey bounced around him flinging his soaked gloves at Brennan's face and head.

"Throws" Punch

Dempsey crouched to a low stoop, his head, the black hair soaked and hanging in strings below his beetling brows, almost to Brennan's knees. He came up with a quick jerk and his right hand shot out, sinking into Brennan's white stomach. For an instant it seemed as if the glove had gone on into Brennan's body.

It was for all the world as if Dempsey had stooped, picked up a stone and let fly with it. He threw the punch. That is the only way of describing it.

Brennan's eyes, a bit glazed behind the red puff of his cheeks, winced. Now Dempsey's left followed the right into Brennan's stomach so fast the blows were almost one punch.

The big Chicago man crumpled not at the knees as is usual, but in the middle of his body as if the smashes had broken him in two. Dempsey, bloody, furious, his brow corrugated in a scowl, his dark eyes glaring, swung again with his right. It landed on the back of the already crumpling Brennan's head and was the finishing touch.

Knockdown Is Sudden

Down sent Brennan to the very center of the ring, floundering helplessly. The referee, Haukop, his white trousers flecked with the blood of the fighters, bounded forward and began the count. The knockdown came so suddenly that even Haukop, flitting agilely about the ring expecting the unexpected, was startled.

From Brennan's corner came the voice of Leo Flynn, his manager, calling on him to take the count. The thirteen thousand people were up and screaming, the high shrill voices of women mingling with the voices of the men as they shouted advice, or chanted the praise of the champion.

Dempsey, still glowering, hovered over Brennan, his gloves limp at his sides. Slowly Haukop counted, until he had reached ten. Then Brennan, who was crawling aimlessly about the floor like a drunken man seeking a doorstep, lifted himself to his feet.

Haukop's arm under him prevented him from falling as he staggered against the ropes. Now Flynn, and Brennan's handlers were in the ring to assist their man.

Dempsey walked over, put his arm on Brennan's shoulders, mumbled something and walked back to his corner, the second heavyweight champion of the world to defend his title at Madison Square Garden.

First Round

Brennan rushed out first as if he had made up his mind to gamble everything on the first few punches. He was the first to lead, but was short. The crowd gasped at his temerity and sat back looking for a quick finish. To their further astonishment Brennan closed in on the champion courageously and began pumeiting him in the clinches. Dempsey crouching low, sent two lefts to the body. Brennan was not afraid and came back with two rights to the ear and a left to the body. Jack shot a right to the shoulder and Brennan hooked two rights to the champion's face. But Jack shook his head and missed a light left for the head. His left found Brennan's body hard. Brennan poked a left twice to the jaw and Jack suddenly hooked a right to Brennan's jaw. Not flush, though. Bill came back with three right uppercuts to the mouth. The men then roughed it at close quarters. They clinched at the bell.

ROUND TWO: Dempsey sent two uppercuts to the mouth. But Brennan showed no fear and retaliated with two lefts to the champion's jaw, bringing over a right to the same spot twice. Jack missed a terrific left swing. Jack put two solid lefts to the body and right under Bill's heart. Brennan's left jabbed to the mouth and they exchanged body blows. The champion again missed fire with a left to the body. Brennan held on to Dempsey's left glove and shot a smashing right to Dempsey's jaw. This worried the champion. Bill encored with a right to the jaw while Jack missed two chances at the body with his left as the bell clanged. Brennan's round.

ROUND THREE: The crowd cheered Bill when he came out. Brennan ripped two lefts to Jack's body. Dempsey missed two rights and Bill copped him flush on the jaw with two rights. Jack then became riled and tore after Brennan, sending him a heavy left to the body which made Brennan clinch. After the break Bill uppercutted twice to the champion's mouth. Dempsey measured his man and crosesd a hard right to the jaw. He looked surprised when Brennan sent two rights to the face. Brennan looked tired as he returned to his corner. Dempsey had a cut on the bridge of his nose.

ROUND FOUR: Dempsey measured Brennan. Before he could get started Brennan hooked him with a right. Jack poked two lefts to the body. He crouched trying to swing a left but Brennan got away and pounded the body with a few rights. Dempsey worked to close range trying to find the body. Bill again made Dempsey sit up and take notice by passing a hard right to the jaw. At this stage Jack speeded up, hooking three lefts to the face while poking Brennan's body with several rights. He was getting set for an effective punch when the bell clanged.

ROUND FIVE—Brennan came up weak. Jack let him jab him with a few lefts before he tried to swing. Dempsey hooked a left to the jaw and whipped in two hard rights to the body. A clinch followed. Dempsey hit on the breakaway but apologized to the referee and shook Brennan's hand. Then he crashed a solid right under the heart but Bill was back with two light rights to the head. Brennan's feet began to sag. Dempsey walked away when he had an opening. Brennan brought the crowd to their feet when he hooked a right to the jaw at the bell.

ROUND SIX: Dempsey jumped around the ring looking for an opening. Bill jabed two lefts to the face and Jack soaked him with a hard right to the body. The champion shifted his attacks. He sent four lefts to the face. He mised again with a right for Bill's jaw. Bill sent Dempsey's head bobbing from a straight left Dempesey missed two rights. A clinch followed. Jack missed two lefts for the head, but his next try, a right for the body found the mark. The champion let several good chances of getting his right over, go by.

Dempsey scowled and chunked Brennan on the chin with short rights and lefts that did not move more than an inch or two. They were cuffs more than anything else, but damaging. Dempsey seemed to be careless in this round and while Brennan appeared much worried he plugged away earnestly at the man from Colorado. A cheer arose as the bell rang and the men walked back to their corners. This cheer became a deafening roar.

ROUND SEVEN: Brennan sent a right to the face of Dempsey and put two lefts to the shoulder. Two clinches followed. Dempsey just poked two light lefts to the body and missed a hard right swing. Brennan missed a left swing and ran into a clinch. Dempsey hooked a right over to the heart twice, but Brennan came back with a good right to the same spot. Each landed a left to the face. The crowd was with Brennan and encouraged him at every opportunity. The men swapped punches on the ropes with Dempsey appearing riled at Bill's showing.

ROUND EIGHT: The champion circled Brennan and whipped in a terrific right twice under the heart following with a left to the jaw. It was too low to hurt Brennan who ran to a clinch. Brennan sent in a right to the chin. Jack cuffed Bill with short rights. Then he swung two lefts to the face. He crossed a right to the jaw which staggered Brennan. Bill fell into a clinch and held on. Jack threw him away and sent a right to the jaw, bringing the same glove down to the body. Brennan instead of clinching swung a left to the jaw. Brennan appeared tired.

ROUND NINE: Brennan crossed a hard right to Dempsey's jaw, following with a left to the chin. The champion shook his head and shot in two lefts to the face. Brennan started to dance around giving Jack an opening. Dempsey crossed two rights to the chin and hooked a left to the body. Brennan, however, was still in the fighting and shot two nice rights to the face. Dempsey sidestepped and hooked a right to Bill's ear. He walked in close, evidently intending to hook a left, but Brennan stepped in close also and shot a right and left to Dempsey's jaw. Dempsey's mouth was bleeding at the bell.

TENTH ROUND: Jack was out fast and pasted Bill with two lefts. Brennan missed a right swing and ran into a clinch. Jack also missed and worked close sending short lefts to the body while hooking his right to the jaws. Brennan held on to Jack's right glove. The referee separated them. Jack missed a laft but a moment later sent a right thsh to the jaw and Brennan looked to be in a bad way. When it looked curtains for Brennan he stepped back and sent a smash to Dempsey's left ear drawing the claret at the bell.

ELEVENTH ROUND: Dempsey circles Brennan again hooking lefts to the face. Brennan ran into clinch. After the break Bill jabbed two lefts to the nose and crossed a right to the champion's left ear. More claret and lots of it. Bill again swapped blows with Dempsey, although the latter's blow had force behind it. Jack shot a terrific right to the jaw and Brennan hooked two light lefts to Jack's face. Dempsey hit Brennan hard a dozen times, but the Chicago heavyweight was back at him. Bell.

TWELFTH ROUND: Dempsey crossed a solid right to the jaw and Brennan was back at him like a world beater shooting two rights to Jack's damaged ear. Dempsey tried all he could to get in a haymaker. Brennan jabbed two lefts to the bleeding ear and upperentted a right to the mouth. Dempsey then got started and sent a right over to the heart and a left to the wind and Brennan sank to the floor. He was counted out.

Dempsey Will Fight Big Jess Willard On St. Patrick's Day

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Bill Brennan who was knocked out in the 12th round by Jack Dempsey, the heavy-weight champion, in Madison Square Garden last night, said today he intended to ask for another match.

"I am not satisfied that Dempsey is my superior," he declared.

The challenger, while saying that he had vindicated himself, asserting he was "surprised" when the referee motion him to his corner, believed that he had beaten the count in the twelfth.

Dempsey said: "Brennan was tougher than I expected. He stood up longer than I thought he would. His blows didn't hurt me at any time, but I found him a hard man to hit properly."

Dempsey's manager said the champion was not in the best condition, having trained too hard.

Dempsey expects to leave for the Pacific coast tomorrow, to remain until late in February, when he will come back to New York to train for his match with Jess Willard on St. Patrick's day.

The match last night broke all records for receipts for an indoor affair in this country, according to unofficial estimates today. The 11,956 seats brought in $200,852.50. This does not take into account the receipts from 1,000 temporary bleacher seats and two thousand persons who obtained standing room. The match between Dempsey and Willard, which was fought in an open air arena, netted $452,522, the high water mark.

Deducting Dempsey's share of $100,000 and Brennan's guarantee of $35,000 last night, the promoters estimated profit, after paying taxes and expenses, probably will be about $13,000, it was estimated. The federal tax will be approximately $21,000 and the state tax $10,500.

PENNY ANTE

Trying To Make It Four Nights In A Week

Big Bill Says Tanks Can Beat Wellston Team

(Ironton Register)

Wellston's huge eleven defeated Portsmouth's Smoke House crew Sunday by a score of 10 to 0. Wellston loaded up a little for the game, while Portsmouth played without the services of Selby or Williams and three other of the regular men. Wellston was able to score but one touchdown, the other coming on a field goal in the fourth period. The victory has set Wellston to claiming the championship of south central Ohio and their claims are not bringing joy to Ironton players or fans. Manager Bill Brooks of the Tanks says that the Tanks are able to take the measure of Wellston and if they continue in their claims he will challenge them for a game here about Christmas day. Such a contest as this would be an attraction worth going miles to see.

BUTCHERS BEAT LEATHER GRIPPERS

In the Selby Bowling League last night the Butchers did not have any trouble in winning three straights from the Leather Grippers. They took the third game with a margin of nearly 200 pins. Taylor had high single score of the evening getting 191 in his third game. Conley got the high total of 532 for his three games. The scores:

Leather Grippers—				
Gildea	135	155	134	424
Doll	95	152	111	348
J. Hauck	121	86	113	310
Schwoebel	124	117	147	388
Huber	109	124	120	353
Totals	584	634	625	1823
Butchers—				
Taylor	161	148	191	500
N. Nardi	131	153	169	453
Simpson	108	—	189	297
Seyfried	124	119	—	243
Conley	182	168	182	532
Franck	—	140	88	228
Totals	706	728	819	2253

SELBY TEAM LEADS

Standing of Teams

	W	L	Pct
Selby	36	12	.750
Invincibles	39	15	.722
Excelsiors	28	20	.583
Wholesalers	29	22	.569
Selects	14	40	.259
Allies	7	41	.146

In a game as full of scrap and protested decisions as a baseball game, so that it was lucky they had a minister of the Gospel to umpire for them, the Invincibles met the Wholesalers, last night at Wilhelmette Hall. Jim Breece was not in the game, with the result that the Invincibles were the best disorganized set of players that has appeared on the floor this year. Sometimes half the side would try for the same ball at other times the ball would fall to the floor without a single man trying to field it. Individually they played brilliantly, and in that way took the odd game, but team work there was nix. On the Wholesalers side, Reinhard and Rickey played brilliant games. Guy Edwards broke into the game on the side of the Wholesalers and played the finest and snappiest game that any man playing for the first time, has ever played since Eddie Hock broke into the game. The Wholesalers have a rare acquisition in his lanky person.

On Monday the Selects met the Allies, in three hot battles, as the scores show, 21 to 20, 21 to 19 and 21 to 12. The Allies put up a stiff fight, but the Selects succeeded in putting all three games into their percentage column.

The lineups yesterday were as follows:

Invincibles—Jim Finney, Captain, Vaughn Finney, Elmer Schoemaker, Lester Finney, Ralph Marting and Donald Phillips.

Wholesalers—C. M. Howland, Capt. Walter Haas, Orla Rickey, Earl Reinhard, Guy Cornutte, S. L. Means and Guy Edwards.

DOWNEY WINS

Bryan Downey, middleweight boxer of Columbus won the referee's decision over Ralph Schappert of Wilkesbarre in a 12-round bout in the Capital city last night.

Drys To Support Administration

COLUMBUS — Law enforcement meeting of Ohio Anti-Saloon League ends in pledges of support to incoming state administration.

Volley Ball League

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Selby Culls	35	4	.897
High School Faculty	23	10	.697
Ministers	17	16	.515
Bankers	19	20	.487
Standard Supply	12	24	.333
Doctors	5	34	.128

The Standard Supply met the High School Faculty on the latter's floor last night, and copped one game. The Faculty had a crippled team, Prof. Appel, Eccles and Wheeler being absent. The Standard consequently took the first game easily, 21 to 10, but lost the next 17 to 21 and the third 11 to 21.

The line-ups were as follows:

High School Faculty—Coach McComb, E. E. Seig, Wm. Massie and C. D. Walden.

Standard Supply — Ben Leichner Chester Kerr, J. Turney, Russell Bryant, Robert McConell and Joe Russell.

BOWLING

MASONIC BOWLING LEAGUE

Teams	W.	L.	Pct.
Players	23	13	.639
Bowers	21	12	.636
Brunnacks	21	12	.636
Wholesalers	21	12	.636
Tramps	19	11	.575
Royals	18	15	.545
Waltons	19	17	.528
Auroras	18	18	.500
Mutuals	12	18	.400
Surveyors	9	21	.300
Horrables	10	26	.277
Movies	7	26	.212

Games This Week

Wednesday, Dec. 15.—Brunnacks vs. Bowers, Play House alleys.

Thursday, Dec. 16.—Royals vs. Mutuals, Play House alleys.

Friday, Dec. 17.—Tramps vs. Wholesalers, Play House alleys.

Poor scores rules in the contest between the Players and Waltons at the Play House alleys, last night. The Players won two out of three, and are now occupying the loftiest ground in the Masonic League—one in first place all by themselves. The Waltons were handicapped by the absence of their star performer, Earl A. Care and are congratulating themselves that they won one game. Had Mr. Care been present, the chances are the Players would be down the line a few notches. Elmer Heisel, captain of the Players, was high man of the evening, gathering 475, with Captain Sprague of the Waltons a close second with 472. The Waltons were cuffed around in the first two games and then they went at their opponents hammer and tongs, winning the last game by a wide margin. The scores:

Players—				
Slaten	136	147	171	454
Rickey	138	137	129	404
Klingman	144	145	123	412
Jackson	154	166	129	449
Heisel	175	167	133	475
Totals	747	762	685	2194
Waltons—				
Sprague	167	151	154	472
Dupuy	134	115	116	415
Zottman	125	146	163	434
Talje	163	136	146	445
Blind	125	125	125	375
Totals	714	673	754	2141

SOLVAY DUCK PIN LEAGUE STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Skunks	30	21	9	.700
Pipers	30	18	12	.600
Wreckers	30	13	17	.433
Tar Babies	30	8	22	.267

This Week's Schedule

December 16.—Skunks vs. Pipers.

Wreckers—				
Wallace	118	110	111	—339
Ellis	105	131	98	—334
Rowe	64	...	...	— 64
Blind	...	75	75	—150
Frizzell	81	108	79	—268
Blind	75	75	75	—225
Totals	443	499	438	1380
Tar Babies—				
Blind	75	75	75	—225
Blind	75	75	75	—225
Blind	75	75	75	—225
Blind	75	75	75	—225
Delamater	96	103	139	—338
Totals	396	403	439	1238

AURORA BOWLING LEAGUE
Standing of the Teams

Teams	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Wizards	30	22	8	.733
Orioles	33	23	10	.697
Cleaners	30	17	13	.567
Wonders	33	18	15	.545
Marvels	30	16	14	.533
Monkeys	30	11	19	.367
Eagles	33	10	23	.303
Spiders	33	9	24	.273

This Week's Schedule

Dec. 15—Marvels vs Monkeys.
Dec. 16—Cleaners vs Wizards.

Orioles—				
Heinline	146	162	114	—422
Jaynes	175	141	163	—479
Yeley	127	107	129	—363
Windel	120	118	114	—352
Schultz	130	152	135	—416
Totals	698	680	654	2032
Eagles—				
Donaldson	89	136	118	—343
Corson	102	136	98	—326
Cooper	132	132	168	—432
Blind	120	120	120	—360
Thornton	127	171	113	—411
Totals	570	695	617	1882

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

N. & W. wins three games.

N. & W.—				
Aldridge	120	172	204	—496
Smith	153	200	213	—566
Mantel	165	136	154	—455
Russell	181	155	172	—508
Bruno	172	155	154	—481
Totals	791	818	897	2506
Solvay—				
Ginn	165	157	127	—449
Delamater	145	156	171	—472
Zeune	137	185	123	—445
Rau	149	124	...	—273
Quinn	149	166	156	—471
Blind	...	...	135	—135
Totals	745	788	712	2245

Steel Plant forfeits three games.

Teams	P.	W.	L.
Williams	171	186	124
Sodaro	178	160	187
Bertram	174	168	...
Marple	135	...	143
Reinhart	170	157	169
Prosch	...	180	150
Totals	828	851	783

Steel Plant failed to show up.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Drews forfeit three Games.

The Drem team did not show up and thereby forfeited three games to Vulcan Last, who rolled a nice game. Captain Belcher was high man, making high score for the night of 516 plus. Pollard was second high, with 473. Game was rolled at Good Fellowship alleys.

Vulcans—				
A. Ross	117	176	133	—426
Pollard	140	159	174	—473
H. Clausing	157	140	157	—454
Cunningham	121	...	129	—250
W. Belcher	154	192	170	—516
Fisher	...	98	...	— 98
Totals	689	765	763	2217

Forfeited team did not show up.

MAY MEET TO ARRANGE BIG GAME

Word came from Wellston Tuesday afternoon that the F. O. E. football team of that city would be ready to play the Ironton Tanks at any time, but prefer to play here instead of Cannonville. It is likely that the management of both teams will meet here this week and arrange the details of the big game which probably will be staged on Christmas Day.

Empire Grange Elects

Officers were re-elected at the closing session of Empire Grange Farmers' Institute Tuesday afternoon. They are: President, Fred Moats; Vice-President, Otto Schaefer; Secretary-Treasurer, E. B. Lange; Lady Correspondent, Miss Esther Oakes; Executive Committee, Jacob Hammerstein, Clifford Knapp and Oscar Oakes. The executive committee is a new one.

The closing session was featured by instructive talks given by Mrs. Ida A. Durbin and E. A. Flemming, state Institute lecturers. The members presented voted to hold another Institute next year the attendance this year being larger han ever before.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and comfort in our many dark hours of grief, when death hovered over our home and has called away our loved ones—our brother, Mr. Amada Shay, who died August 4, and our little daughter, Miss Hazel O'Roark, who accidentally shot and killed herself Sept. 8, and our mother, Mrs. Sarah Jane Shay, who died Nov. 22. We wish to extend our thanks to all our friends who stood by us and who made it possible for us to bear our grief; also for their many beautiful flowers which they so freely lavished on our little daughter's casket; and also the members of the Maccabee and Royal Neighors lodges for their sympathy; also the ministers and choir for their kind efforts to console our grief-stricken hearts.

We thank them from the depths of our hearts and in God's name we bless them all.

JAMES O'ROARK AND FAMILY.
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JUST DOPE

URBANA, Ill., Dec. 15—Official action on the proposed concrete athletic stadium at the University of Illinois will be taken when the board of trustees of the university convenes in Chicago on December 13. At that time consideration will be given the proposition as submitted by the athletic association of the university.

That the proposed stadium will not be a bowl, seems almost certain. Since huge gridiron areas have come into vogue, many experiments have been made to find the most suitable type of stadium to hold the monster crowds which gather for outdoor athletics.

Illinois officials, however, after investigation have decided that a horseshoe, with one end open to allow air circulation, is much more desirable than a bowl and tentative plans for such a horseshoe will be presented to the board of trustees at their meeting in Chicago.

Robert C. Zuppke, football coach, will have charge of the plans and will visit numerous other universities to get ideas for the Illinois project. The selection of definite plans remains with the board, as does also the selection of a site. Many Illinois fans are urging the stadium's erection on historic Illinois Field, but others favor a new site south of the main campus.

The stadium is expected to seat about 60,000 and will be used for track and field meets as well as football.

BERKELEY, Cal., December 15—Two members of the University of California football team, Dan McMillan, right tackle, and Bob Berkey, end today were reported limping from injuries, and fears were expressed that possibly they would not be able to play in the game against Ohio State University at Pasadena, Cal., New Year's Day.

McMillan splintered a small bone in his heel some time ago, and Berkey was reported suffering from a weak leg, which was broken last year, and which has not recovered its full strength. California will start practicing for the Ohio State game December 15.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 15—Comparative figures given out by the athletic director of the University of Cincinnati shows the steady growth of the popularity of football at that institution.

In 1918, the attendance was 3940, against a total of 22,194 during the 1920 football season. The gross receipts this year were $17,461, and in 1918, $2759. Net profits for the 1920 season were $8,311.74.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—New Orleans has been selected as the training camp for the Brooklyn National League Baseball Club. The contract was signed today. No decision has been reached as to when the training period will begin, but final details, including the exhibition schedule with the New York American League team, will be taken up tomorrow when Manager Robinson arrives from Baltimore to attend the National League meeting.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Frank Doyle, business manager of the Akron (Ohio) Club International League, said today that officers of the club had authorized him to dispose of the franchise while in New York.

"I am negotiating with certain persons, whose names I am not at liberty to state," said Mr. Doyle, "and it is safe to say that the club probably will remain in Akron, but will be under the control of 'new blood.'

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Word was received today that Christy Mathewson, the famous pitcher and formerly manager of the Reds, is slowly losing ground in the battle for life at Saranac Lake. He is very weak and has to be kept constantly in a darkened room. He is allowed no visitors and cannot reply to letters. This news was received with sincere feeling of regret by all the baseball men here.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 15—Announcement that the Cleveland baseball club acquired Arthur Wagner, an outfielder, from the Joplin club of the Western league before the world's series, was made today. Wagner and three young pitchers will be the only new recruits at the champions' training camp. The pitchers are J. C. Edwards, Charles Henderson and Nelson A. Potts, all of the Delta team. The latter two are left-handers.

LEGAL NOTICE

Frank Bates, whose place of residence is unknown, and whose last known place of residence was Mingo Junction, Ohio, will take notice that on the 19th day of October, 1920, his wife, Flossie Bates, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being cause No. 16462, praying for a divorce from him on the grounds of gross neglect of duty toward her, extreme cruelty and adultery.

Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 22nd day of December, 1920.

FLOSSIE BATES, Plaintiff,
B. F. KIMBLE, Attorney.
Nov. 10-6 Weds.

BOND SALE

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk, at his office in the Village of New Boston, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon, Dec. 15th, 1920, for the purchase of Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000) worth of six per cent Fire Equipment Bonds, Twenty four in number and numbered consecutively from one to twenty-four and in denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each.

Said bonds shall be dated November 1st 1920 and shall mature; No. 1, May 1st, 1921 and the remaining of the consecutive numbers shall mature, one every six months thereafter.

These bonds will be issued by the village of New Boston, Ohio, under authority of law and ordinance, both premium and interest being payable at the office of the village Treasurer, interest payable semi-annually.

A certified check for Two per cent of the amount of bonds bid for must accompany each bid.

No bid for less than par value and accrued interest to day of delivery will be accepted. Bonds to be delivered to buyer at Portsmouth, Ohio.

The village reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids.

RUSSELL MIDDAUGH,
10-4 Weds. Clerk

LEGAL NOTICE

J. A. Hirsch, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 27th day of September, 1920, George Appel filed his petition in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, being case No. 15426, praying among other things for personal judgment against him, the said J. A. Hirsch, in the sum of $5,000.00 with interest at 7 per cent per annum on his certain promissory notes held by said George Appel, and also praying for a foreclosure of a chattel mortgage on one (1) Automobile, make Interstate-Chummy, formerly sold to the said J. A. Hirsch by the said George Appel.

Said J. A. Hirsch will take notice that he is required to answer said cause of action on or before six weeks from the date of this first publication.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1920.

GEORGE APPEL
24-6 Weds. T. C. Beatty, Attorney

LEGAL NOTICE

Donald T. Bush, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that Mary Forsythe Bush has filed her petition against him in the court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, being case no. 16549, praying for divorce, custody of minor children, and alimony on the grounds of gross neglect of duty; and that said cause will be for hearing on and after six weeks from the date of this first publication.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1920.

MARY FORSYTHE BUSH
T. C. Beatty, Attorney. 24-6 Weds.

NOTICE

IN THE PROBATE COURT
STATE OF OHIO, SCIOTO COUNTY

Lydia Young Donohoe, administratrix of the estate of Harriet M. Young, deceased, Plaintiff,

vs.

Charles Young, Tillie Young, Stewart Young, Elizabeth Young, Crawford Young, Millie Young, Kathryn Young Willis, J. R. Willis, Lydia Young Donohoe, Charles R. Donohoe, Gilbert Hoblar a minor, aged 17 years; Harold Young, a minor, aged 18 years; and Margaret Young, a minor aged 14 years; being all the heirs and next of kin of Harriet M. Young, deceased; and The Citizens Savings & Loan Association Company, an Ohio corporation, Defendants.

Proceeding to Sell Real Estate.

Case No. 15223

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Scioto County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on Thursday, the 6th day of January, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., upon the premises at No. 1108 Lawson Street, in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, the following described real estate situate in the County of Scioto State of Ohio, and the City of Portsmouth, to-wit:

Being all of Lot Number Twenty-Seven (No. 27) and twenty (20) feet and nine (9) inches off the south side of Lot Number Twenty-Six and one-half (No. 26 1-2) of the Board of Trade Addition to said City of Portsmouth, Ohio, as the same are known and designated by said numbers respectively, upon the Plat of said Addition, as recorded in Book 2, Page 8, of the Record of Plats of said Scioto County, Ohio, said two parcels being contiguous and having a frontage of fifty feet, nine inches (50 ft. 9 in.) on the east side of Lawson Street and extending back of equal width to an alley in the rear thereof; and being the premises generally known as No. 1108 Lawson Street.

Said property is appraised at Twelve Thousand ($12,000.00) Dollars. Terms of sale as follows:

One-third (1-3) cash; one-third (1-3) in one year; one-third (1-3) in two years. The deferred payments to bear interest at 6 per cent per annum, and to be secured by a mortgage on said premises.

LYDIA YOUNG DONOHOE,
Administratrix of the estate of Harriet M. Young, deceased.
JOHNSON & SKELTON, Attorneys.
12-3-4 Weds

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The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use for publication of all news dispatches credited to it or not otherwise credited in this paper and also the local news published herein.

The Chamber of Commerce devotes the whole of the last issue of "The Portsmouth Pepto-Graph" to recifting the activities and achievements of the chamber. It is a proud and impressive story thus told, but, at that there seems to be one thing missing, one thing oversighted, so to speak. Sure, we can't mean anything else other than a new station for the Peerless, not one of those iridescent affairs of "next year," but a thing of concrete and proportion right away, soon, quick, immediately. We move a committee on a new station be appointed; seconded by everybody that has ever seen a a train stop here or leave. Carried! The committee can go to committee-ing instanter.

It's a dizzy old world. Think of one William J. Bryan, once the prophet and hope of the plain people, being called into chummy consultation with Warren Gamaliel Harding, president-elect, in the joy and expectation of big business—Bryan after whom the organs stalked with bludgeon and bullet, for 24 years, shouting at every dark turn: We've got him and he's deadern a door nail this time—Bryan with whom the Demnies wandered in the wilderness for a fifth of a century and were foolishly proud of hunger and thirst under such a peerless leader. That's politics for you. Cast a creature and an issue aside and the other party picks it up.

The cheery and cherubic Professor Taft tells the world, after an interview with Harding, that the solution of the league of nations puzzle will be a happy concatenation of master minds with that of the president-elect on the subject, but the president-elect still declaring he has no mind on the subject, we must conclude the cheery and cherubic mind may be a trifle quick on the trigger, so to speak. And there's Hi Johnson yet to be consulted and to roar.

Yes, we have seen other winters like this, lots of 'em, as many as two out of three of all we have seen.

Since the Portsmouth dam was completed two new boats have been entered in the trade. They'll come ten times that fast when the whole canalization plan is completed.

They are all alike. The French have fallen to quarreling over their big men in the war, that is, whether they performed service as it should be, and Col. E. M. House comes into the public prints to defend Foch for arranging an armistice. Over on this side we can't see where any defense is needed, but otherwise we have a few defects in the optics ourselves.

Somewhere down in Virginia a mob tried to break into the jail and lynch a negro the other night for assaulting and robbing a white merchant, but was staid in its purpose by bullets from the sheriff's guards, which abruptly punctured its leader. One argument of that sort is worth more than several hundred thousand tirades against the south from press and pulpit.

NOW COMES THE "ROLLER" HAIR BRUSH

The roller family, most famous of which is the Steam variety that commonly functions at political conventions, has had a recent addition in the shape of a "roller" hair brush. The new brush which has made its appearance in some of the up-to-date barber shops of the city, is rolled over the patron's head, and is supposed to have almost magical effect in producing a pompadour, or in making obstreperous hair lie in any desired position.

John Jackson whose shop is in the Turley building, says his new roller brush is only the revival of the ones exactly similar that Coy Frank White in former days used on his patrons. The roller brush is now found in most of the exclusive barber shops in the east, and are rapidly spreading westward.

TWENTY-FOUR YEARS AGO

The engagement of Miss Lucy Miller of Chillicothe to Albert Bazler of East Orange, N. J., formerly of Portsmouth, was announced.

A marriage license was issued to Edward Kahner and Julia Gifford of Bloom Switch.

There was great competition between Squire Hall and Squire Cole along matrimonial lines. As an inducement to couples who obtained marriage licenses, Squire Cole offered to place an order with a photographer to take the picture of each couple who came to him (Squire Cole) to be married.

Thieves ransacked the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Turner on Twelfth street, robbing the victims of all bed clothing in the house.

Henry Wishon, son of Supt. Wishon of the infirmary, was preparing to enter the ministry.

George Rueppel was arranging to open a meat market at Sixth and Glover streets in the old Chatfield property. He had been in business with George Brandan.

Capt. Cole Gilliland returned to Cincinnati after a visit with his sons here.

Three Candidates

Three candidates, Charles Holbrook, J. B. Guthrie and William French were given the Esquire rank at the weekly meeting of Magnolia Lodge K. of P. Monday evening. Arrangements were also made to have a big delegation present Wednesday night at the tenth district meeting.

IMPORTED DIVORCE

By Frederic J. Haskin

NEW YORK, December 15.—It has recently been observed and remarked upon that a number of women who move in the most expensive society of the country have been getting their divorces in Paris, usually along with their frocks. Thus the lawmakers of the fashion code have, by their own example, laid down a new decree for high society.

Of recent years there is as much danger of bad form in connection with a divorce as with any other social function. Just as it is not in accordance with the best thought on etiquette to be married in a lavender waistcoat, or to appear at your funeral in a polkadot necktie, so it is incorrect to be divorced in your home town. The law of the elite goes further to prescribe the exact place where a divorce is to be most agreeably and fashionably obtained, and like all questions of style, the social divorce center shifts with the seasons.

South Dakota unconsciously instituted the divorce pilgrimage as a national custom, when it made six months a sufficient time to establish months a sufficient time to establish to encourage farmers, business men and home-makers to come in to develop the state. But it did not take the unhappily married of other states long to see the use to which such a law might be put. In the modest town of Sioux Falls a divorce colony rose, prospered, and then fell heavily.

For a New York lawyer was attracted to the beauties of the liberal divorce and residence laws, and by advertising them, and himself, he started what is now a well-worn trail from New York to Reno. Since then, Reno has been a resort of the fashionable world when the marriage bond bored or annoyed it. Yet Nevada claims that Reno has been misjudged, in that it is regarded nationally as a wild and reckless town.

Reno Not For Rich Only

As a matter of fact, there are all sorts of people among the prospective divorce-seekers of Reno. There are a few gay and dashing types, and many more quietly exclusive types, and there are a great many ordinary citizens from Pittsburgh, Sacramento, New York, and other places, who have journeyed to Nevada to get a release from troubles which their respective states refused to recognize as grounds.

Reno is indisputably the center of the divorce industry in this country, with only Newport as a possible rival for fashionable divorces. As a result, Reno is somewhat different from any other city in the United States. It is a prosperous and attractive little community, with luxurious shops, theaters, hotels and cafes, all of a scale of sumptuous ordinarily boasted only by larger cities.

Reno lawyers may well be shivering in their boots over the tendency of fashion to turn to Paris for its divorces. Once before when Nevada tried for a year the experiment of changing its residence requirements from six months to one year, there was an alarming decrease in the contents of its coffers. Paris backed by fashionable approval, may attract only a small fraction of Nevada's clients. But that shifting hundred or so of population is important to the lawyers, furriers, caterers, jewelers, and hotel men of the town.

Paris as a divorce colony is a logical aftermath of war conditions. Passports for Europe have been granted grudgingly for several years, and now the rush for Paris is on. There is no longer any difficulty in getting a passport from the government for France, provided one agrees to pay ten dollars for it. And there is no difficulty in obtaining a passage on a steamer, provided you make up your mind a year or two in advance of the day you wish to sail.

Paris offers attractions to the fastidious divorce-seeker that Reno, with all its efforts to make visitors comfortable, can scarcely rival. In the first place, Paris is indisputably a correct place in which to be seen by one's friends. And of course, Paris offers a fascinating collection of amusements. With races, cabarets, theaters, dressmakers, and milliners at hand, a sad or impatient candidate for divorce has plenty of diversion between the ordeals of appearing in court.

Paris More Exclusive

Another advantage of Paris from the society point of view is that it promises to be more exclusive as a divorce colony. Many a person of moderate means goes to Reno to gain release from an intolerable marriage. In Reno, he or she finds employment and settles down to establish residence and get a decree. A Paris divorce, however, necessarily costs a good deal more. To get your divorce in Paris is generally a badge of affluence.

The French divorce law is lenient, and usually swift. The applicant appears at the court to file a petition and a hearing is in time set. The judge solemnly urges that the parties reconsider before taking the fatal step, and then, having done his duty, he proceeds to hear the grievances and any protests from the other side, if present.

Kinds of Cruelty

Incompatibility, which for a time was one of the stated grounds on which a divorce could be obtained by French law, is no longer recognized as adequate grounds. Cruelty, however, is just cause for divorce, and no judge has ever been wise enough to set down a rule showing exactly where indifference, lack of consideration, and unkindness shade off into cruelty. In the circumstances, the possibilities of the cruelty phrase of the law are numerous. A young woman has been known to offer as an example of cruel treatment the fact that her husband thought he played piccolo beautifully, whereas his squeaky discords drove her wild. At least one harassed wife, too, has used as evidence of cruelty that the brand of smoking tobacco used by her husband made her sick, though we believe this has usually been rejected as an insufficient cause. But on the whole, a skillful lawyer can do wonders with such disputable points of conduct.

Desertion is another popular gateway to freedom. As divorces are seldom contested in formal society, the decree can usually be obtained on this ground if on no other.

There is one drawback to France as a divorce hunting ground, and that is that after a second divorce has been granted, the court decrees that the applicant may not remarry. Hence France will not do for those addicted to frequent divorce.

On the whole, the fashionable migration to Paris, in order to settle household affairs affects this country, outside of Reno, very little. Later, if there is any dispute over the legality of a French decree, as in case of remarriage or a will, there may be some interesting decisions by our courts.

We have 50 varieties of divorce law in as many states, territories, and the District of Columbia. What one state will unhesitatingly pronounce a legal divorce, may by another court a few miles away, over a state line, be pronounced invalid. Hence an imported divorce is perhaps as good a risk as a domestic one.

Joins Army

George H. Townsend, La Jose, Pa., believes that he'll like the army better than the navy, signing up for one year's service at the presidio at San Francisco, at the local army recruiting station Tuesday. Townsend served in the navy during the war.

Was a Visitor

Attorney Adna Johnson of Ironton was a business visitor to Portsmouth Tuesday.

Questions AND Answers

(Any reader can get the answer to any question by writing The Portsmouth Daily Times Information Bureau, Frederic J. Haskin, Director, Washington, D. C. This offer applies strictly to information. The Bureau cannot give advice on legal, medical and financial matters. It does not attempt to settle domestic troubles, nor to undertake exhaustive research on any subject. Write your question plainly and briefly. Give full name and address and enclose two cents in stamps for return postage. All replies are sent direct to the inquirer.)

Q. What parts of a soldier's uniform are men prohibited from wearing after leaving the Army? D. E. G.

A. The War Department's opinion in determining what should be considered distinctive parts of the Army uniform, is that the following articles, when made in conformity with specifications and standard samples, or sufficiently close to appear the same when worn, are taboo, after the three months during which the uniform may be worn with the red chevron: Uniform buttons, cap ornaments collar insignia (letters "U. S." and insignia of the arm of Service), insignia of rank and grade, white and olive drab caps, hat cords, overcoats, service coats, officers' white coats, Army nurses' Norfolk coats, Army nurses' overcoats, Army nurses capes. The War Department does not object to the wearing of the Army overcoat if it has been dyed a different color from olive drab, or if altered so that it is plainly evident that it is no longer an Army garment. This also applies to other distinctive parts of the uniform.

Q. When was the first negro republic established? H. G. B.

A. Haiti was the first negro republic—having had a republican government since 1805.

Q. How many people visit Yellowstone Park each year? R. G.

A. An accurate record of visitors to this park is kept. In 1920 the total was 79,777. This was more than twice the number that visited the park in the year before we went to war. More people arrived by automobile than by train, there being 49,421 motorists making this tour during the current year.

Q. Who was known as "Snow Baby?" N. N. S.

A. This name was given Marie "Ahnighito," daughter of Robert E. Peary the famous Arctic explorer, because of the fact that she was born in Greenland, which is the farthest North any white child has been born.

Q. What is meant by telautomatics? R. T.

A. By this term is meant the control at a distance of torpedoes, boats, etc., particularly by means of radio-telegraphic impulses.

Q What committees of the House of Representatives are called the big four? H. H.

A. The Committee on Ways and Means, Appropriations, Judiciary, and Foreign Affairs, are referred to as the "Big Four."

Q. What book in the Bible does not have the word "God" in it?

A. The Book of Esther in the Old Testament, while not containing the word "God," shows how through Divine guidance, Esther, a Jewess, was raised to the rank of Queen and was enabled to overcome the evil plotted against her people.

Q. Please state the names of the Presidents of the United States who were members of Masonic lodges? C. H. G.

A. A Grand Secretary of a Masonic Order says that the only Presidents of whom there are official records as members of a Masonic lodge are: Washington, Adams, Tyler, Taylor, Johnson, Jackson, McKinley, Taft, Roosevelt, and President-elect Harding.

Q. Are there any Confederate soldieres buried at Arlington? J. J.

A. Both Confederate and Union soldiers are buried at Arlington, the National Cemetery, and there is an elaborate Confederate monument there.

Q. What does the Census Bureau mean by unmarried men or women, that is, at what age are they so-called? H. Y. M.

A. The Bureau of Census says that when figures show the number of single persons in the United States these figures include persons over 15 years of age.

New-York-Day-By-Day

BY. O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, December 15.—The well typed, beribboned manuscript—one author sprinkles sachet over his—does not always mean literary class. In fact some of the foremost writers have never shaken off the haste of the newspaper shop and their manuscripts are to say the least untidy. At the Players the other day a group of editors were discussing manuscripts.

Sam Blythe single spaces and rarely punctuates and yet he turns out some mighty fine phrases. Irvin Cobb, like Mark Twain, wouldn't give a hang for a man who can't spell a word more than one way so he spells a word the way it sounds and lets it go at that.

Albert Payson Terhune, one of the most prolific of the fiction crew, pecks at his typewriter with one hand. He says to use the other hand would interfere with his pipe smoking. E. Phillips Oppenheim's copy is partly type-written and the rest in long hand. He rarely revises his manuscript because he plots carefully before writing and writes slowly.

Franklin P. Adams, who is best known as a paragrapher but often contributes to the magazines, has never learned the intricacies of a type-writer and uses a fountain pen—and always the ink he uses is green. Meredith Nicholson, a skilled grammarian, usually accompanies his manuscript with a letter to the editor in atrocious English—perhaps to take off the "high-brow" curse.

The late David Graham Phillips wrote standing at an old-fashioned book-keeping desk and had at his side a bunch of pencil stubs. Arthur Somers Roche writes on a light wrapping paper, cut up in regulation size. He got used to it, in the days when he couldn't buy expensive paper and finds it is impossible to do his best work on any other.

Most writers, it was said, declare that they do their best work at night, the majority after midnight. A few have their secretaries and a number of others are learning to dictate their stories. George Randolph Obester was the first to accomplish this feat. His stories have been dictated to a stenographer for six years.

Such incidents perhaps bring us nearer the Commune. Also they give tired pedestrians a laugh. It was raining. A limousine stopped on Fifth Avenue and a matronly woman and a girl in long curls stepped out. The girl held a leash which was fastened to a Pom. The dog stepped about awkwardly enough to attract the attention of the crowds to its feet. It wore pink rubber boots and a rain proof blanket. It seemed quite miserable.

My friend Gus, who peddles Christmas toys in the shopping section, says prohibition has almost killed his business. In the good old days, Gus waited with his tray of toys on prominent street corners for late home-goers. Many who were full of liquid Christmas cheer stopped and bought his whole supply. Gus has sold out as many as ten times in a single evening. "They generally slipped me a dollar for myself," said Gus, "and now the same guys haggle over the price of a 25 cent toy."

A dinner is to be given next week to Jobless Actors. Fifty of them are stars. It is to be called a "Lay Off Banquet", and the guests of honor will tell, why they think their shows are "flopped". Paddy Caine, owner of the famous theatrical warehouse where the scenery and effects of failures go wil be among the guests. Paddy has his big year when Broadway has a slump, but he is a good friend of the actor and has helped many over lean days. He is an inveterate first nighter and many producers seek his verdict after the play. He predicted all the failures but two during the current season.

The Martin

What we need is a blue sky law t' keep us from takin' stock in ever-thing we hear. Mrs. Lafe Bud says nothin' makes her as mad as t' have t' stop readin' t' thread a needle fer her husband.

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DOC KOKO'S KOLUM

From The English Border

As sinks the sun behind yon alien hills
Whose heather-purpled slopes, in glory rolled,
Flush all my thought with momentary gold,
What pang of vague regret my fancy thrills?
Here 'tis enchanted ground the peasant tills,
Where the shy ballad dared its blooms unfold,
And memory's glamour makes new sight seem old,
As when our day some vanished dream fulfills;
Yet not to thee belong these painless tears,
Land loved ere seen; before my darkened eyes,
From far beyond the waters and the years,
Horizons mute that wait their post rise:
The stream before me fades and disappears,
And in the Charles the western splendor dies.

—Lowell.

Not Much of a Tipper

He was very affable and free with his opinions, was this young Englishman, but that was about all he was free with. To the man who carried his bag to the countryside station he had given one whole penny.

Notwithstanding the forlorn look on the man's face, he still continued to chat in an easy manner.

"I shall never forget," he continued, "the splendor of the sceenry when I was in Siwtzerland. It was an education to see the sun rise, tipping the little blue hills with gold——"

"Ah!" interrupted the man who had toiled with his bag. "Them hills was luckier than me, weren't they?"

Repeated Too Late

During a marriage ceremony in Scotland, recently, the bridegroom looked extremely wretched, and he got so nervous, looking on one side and then on the other, that the "best man" decided he would find out what the trouble was. "What's up, Jack," he whispered. "Hae ye lost the ring?" "No," answered the unhappy one, with a woeful look, "the ring's safe enough, but I've lost ma enthusiasm."—London Observer.

Wise Bill

"What sort of a chap is Bill to camp out with?"

"He's one of those fellows who always takes down a mandolin about the time it's up to somebody to get busy with the frying pan."

A Weak Excuse

His wife was one too many for Dobs, but, nevertheless, he persevered in his efforts to get an occasional night at the club.

"My dear," he remarked the other day, "I have only just realized how imperfect I am in my knowledge."

His wife agreed.

"No man," continued Mr. Dobbs, "ought to assume that his education is finished. As for myself, I am going to forge ahead and take up the study of astronomy."

The look in his wife's eyes became more eagle-like than ever. Her voice assumed a cold, hard tone. Her back stiffened.

"Benjamin," she thundered, "you must try again. That excuse for staying out late at night won't do!"

The Chronic Optimist

A group of war veterans were discussing Thanksgiving. One of the guests was a veteran who had lost both legs.

"And what have you to be thankful for?" they asked.

"Lots," he replied, "I've got cork legs, and I can put on my socks with thumb tacks."

Pussy the Job Does

Gretchen—"Mutter, a rat has into the milk fallen."

Mutter—"And did you it out take?"

Gretchen—"No, but I have the cat in after it thrown and when she it eaten has, I will her out lug."

WHO'S WHO

In The Days News

NEWTON WESLEY ROWELL

Newton Wesley Rowell, Canadian delegate to the assembly of the league of nations and former president of the Canadian council of ministers, has stood out against the powers in Geneva in defense of the rights and privileges of the small nations.

Newton W. Rowell.

Mr. Rowell has insisted that the league should not be dominated by the large European nations and used for furthering their interests. In backing up his views he has said that "it was due to European diplomacy that 350,000 Canadians were killed."

As leader of the Liberal party in the province of Ontario he has consistently advocated an advanced program of social legislation and was largely responsible for the workmen's compensation and factory laws, shorter hours of labor for women and children and taxation reform.

Rowell was born in Middlesex county, Ontario, in 1867. He was educated in the public schools and the Ontario Law Society. He was called to the bar in 1891 with honors and a medal. He then became head of a law firm in Toronto and later he was Liberal member of the Ontario legislative assembly in 1911. From 1911 to 1917 he was leader of the Liberal opposition in the Ontario legislature.

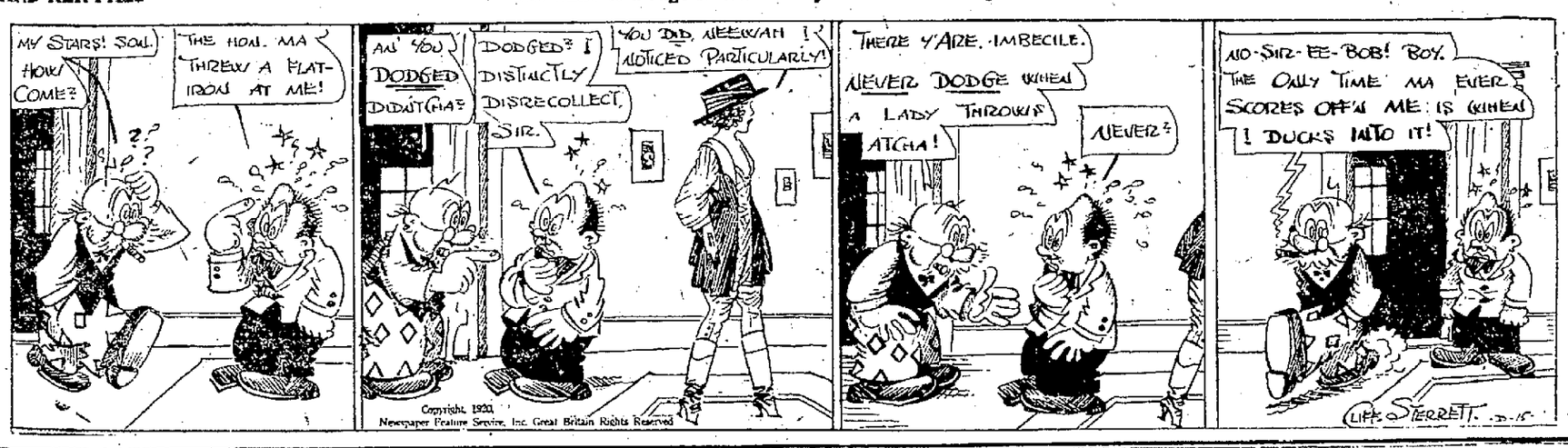
In 1918 Rowell became a member of the imperial war cabinet. He is also a member of the senate of Toronto University and a member of the senate and board of regents of Victoria University.

Rowell lists riding and walking as his favorite recreations. He lives in Ottawa.

POLLY AND HER PALS

The Time to Dodge is When They Throw Something Else

BY CLIFF STERRETT



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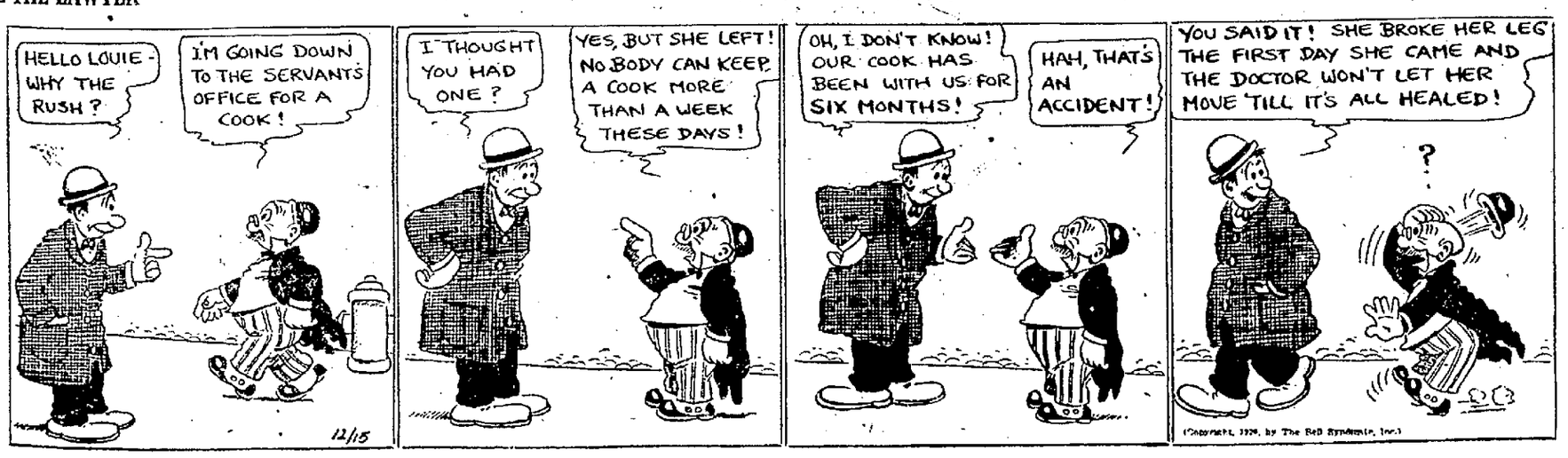
LOUIE THE LAWYER

We Hope Ours Breaks Two



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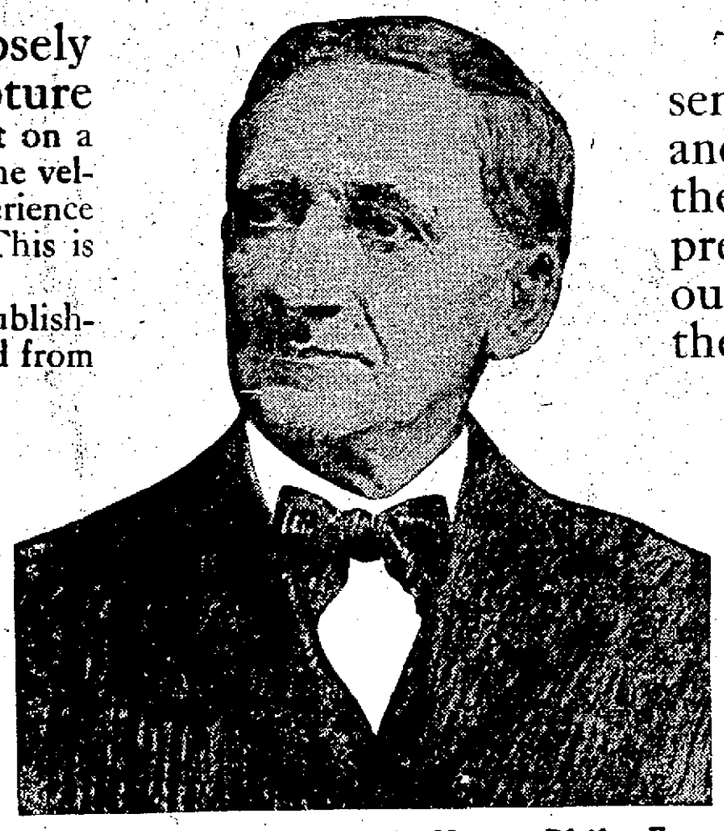

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